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Date of Sailing	Steamers.	Tons.	Connecting at Aden with	Tons.
1913				
13th Sept.	INDIA	8009	MACEDONIA	10500
20th "	ARCADIA	7991	.....	...
27th "	SALSETTE	6001	MALWA	11000
4th Oct.	EGYPT	8000	.....	...
11th "	SALSETTE	6001	MOOLTAN	10000
18th "	PERSIA	8009	.....	...
25th "	SALSETTE	6000	MOREA	11000

All the above Steamers are fitted with WIRELESS TELEGRAPHY.

Passengers for Brindisi transhipto connecting Steamer at Port Said.

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Friends of Passengers cannot go on board the Mail steamer.

HOMEWARD PASSENGER SEASON, 1914.

21st Feb.	CALEDONIA	8009	.....	...
28th "	MALOJA	(2400	.....	...
7th Mar	PERSIA	8009	.....	...
14th "	SALSETTE	6001	MARMORA	10500
21st "	MACEDONIA	10500	.....	...
28th "	SALSETTE	6001	MOLDAVIA	10000
4th Apl.	HIMALAYA	7000	.....	...
4th "	ARABIA	8009	.....	...
11th "	SALSETTE	6000	MEDINA	12500
18th "	MANTUA	11000	.....	...
25th "	SALSETTE	6000	MONGOLIA	10000
2nd May	CALEDONIA	8009	.....	...
9th "	SALSETTE	6000	MALWA	11000
16th "	PERSIA	8009	.....	...

*INTERMEDIATE PASSENGER STEAMER.

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HOMEWARD PASSENGER SEASON, 1913

Steamers.	Tons	Capts.	Leave Bombay
Olympia	5124	J. Kinnaird	17th Sept.
*Circassia	6722	C. F. Osborne, R.N.R.	4th Oct
Scindia	5106	Wm. Kelso	15th Oct.
*Castalia	6388	G. Mitchell	26th Oct.
*Elysia	6368	J. A. Coverley	11th Nov.
Massilia	5091	J. Thomson	29th Nov.
Olympia	5124	J Kinnaird	13th Dec.

HOMEWARD PASSENGER SEASON 1914.

Steamers	Tons.	Capt.	Leave Bombay
*Circassia	6722	C. F. Osborne, R.N.R.	4th Jan.
Scindia	5106	Wm. Kelso	16th Jan.
*Castalia	6388	G. Mitchell	31st Jan.
*Elysia	6368	J. A Coverley	24th Feb.
Massilia	5091	J. Thomson	13th Mar.
Olympia	5124	J. Kinnaird	25th Mar
*Circassia	6722	C. F. Osborne R.N.R.	6th April.
Scindia	5106	Wm Kelso	21st April.
*Castalia	6388	G. Mitchell	2nd May.
*Elysia	6368	J. A. Coverley	22nd May.

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Bombay to Port Said	" 446	677
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(Weekly.)

S.S. "Kasara," 1,165 tons, on Thursday 11th September, calling at Muscat, Bushire and Mahomerah.

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(Weekly).

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Steamers.	Tonnage.	Sailing on	
†Lindula	3258	Thursday	18th Sept.
*Pentakota	3419	"	2nd Oct.
†Pundua	3305	"	16th Oct.
*Palamcotta	3413	"	30th "

†Calls at Lamoo, Mombassa, Zanzibar, Beira, Delagoa Bay, and Durban.
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Vessels.	Tons.	Capts.	To sail on 1913
Polynesien	6385	Lalande	24th Sept
Dumbea	5685	P. de Boussac	22nd Oct
Ville de la Ciotat	6335	Lafont	19th Nov
Nera Lassinae	5365	.....	17th Dec

PASSAGE FARES (including table wine)

	1st	2nd	3rd
To Marseilles (single)	Rs. 534	435	225
Do. (return)	" 891	743	405
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Do (return)	" 990	797	495

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P. di Piemonte	6365	....	17th Sept
Porto Said	5167	Maganzini	15th Oct.
A Steamer	6000	.....	12th Nov.
....	6000	.....	10th Dec 1914.
....	6000	.....	7th Jan
....	6000	.....	4th Feb.
....	6000	.....	4th Mar
....	6000	.....	1st April
....	6000	.....	29th "
....	6000	.....	27th May
....	6000	.....	24th June

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Single ticket	450	350	165
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		" Hongkew.
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PAID-UP CAPITAL	"	30,000,000
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NATIONAL BANK OF INDIA, LIMITED.

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PAID UP CAPITAL £1,000,000
RESERVE FUND £1,040,000

HEAD OFFICE:—
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Bombay	Chittagong	Mombassa
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Tuticorin	Aden (Steamer point).	

FIXED DEPOSITS.—The Bank receives deposits FIXED for one year and shorter periods at rates of interest to be ascertained on application.

CURRENT DEPOSIT ACCOUNTS are opened for approved customers, and interest is allowed at 2 per cent. per annum on daily balances of Rs. 1,000 and up to Rs 1,00,000, but no interest is allowed, when the sum accrued does not amount to Rs 5 half-yearly

BILLS OF EXCHANGE payable in the principal sities of Europe, India, China, Africa and Australia, purchased and collected.

DRAFTS are granted on the Head Office and Branches of the Bank and on the principal Cities of Europe, Africa, America and Australia. Remittances may be made by telegram.

The Bank undertakes the purchase and sale of Government Securities and Stocks, and Shares, and receives same for custody realising Interest and Dividends when due,

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"A MAIDEN'S SOLILOQUY"

"Ring, ring beautiful ring
What Elysian dreams of the future you bring,
Earthly emblem of love—
That miracle from above;
You're a joy to my soul little thing."

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SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL £1,125,000
PAID-UP CAPITAL ..... £ 562,500
RESERVE LIABILITY OF SHAREHOLDERS ..... £ 562,500
RESERVE FUNDS ..... £ 415,000

HEAD OFFICE:
40, Threadneedle Street, London, E.C

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The London Joint Stock Bank

BRANCHES AND AGENCIES:
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The Bank negotiates and collects bills and grants Drafts payable at its Head Office and Branches, and issues Letters of Credit for the use of Travellers.

The Bank receives deposits on the following terms:—

CURRENT DEPOSIT ACCOUNTS.
Interest allowed at 2 per cent. on the daily balance if not under Rs.1,000 and not exceeding Rs. 1,00,000. Sums over Rs. 1,00,000 will be received on terms to be ascertained on application.

FIXED DEPOSITS.
Rates for Fixed deposits for 12 months and shorter period to be ascertained on application.

The Bank undertakes the purchase and sale of Government Securities, Stocks, and Shares, and receives same for safe custody realising interest and dividends when due

A SCOTT SMITH,
Manager.
Esplanade Road, Bombay

THE EASTERN BANK, LTD.

HEAD OFFICE:
4, Crosby Square, London, E C.

BRANCHES AT
Bombay, Calcutta, and Bagdad.

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL..... £1,000,000
PAID UP CAPITAL ..... £ 400,000
RESERVE FUND..... £ 15,000
RESERVE LIABILITY OF SHAREHOLDERS ..... £ 600,000

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Interest allowed on SAVINGS DEPOSIT ACCOUNTS AT 3½ per cent per annum. Copies of the Rules may be obtained on application.

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loans and credits granted on approved security and every description of Banking and Exchange business undertaken.

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L. F. TUCKER,
Acting Manager.

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International Banking Corporation.

HEAD OFFICE: NEW YORK.

Capital Paid up	.. Gold $	3,250,000,00
Reserve Fund	" "	3,250,000,00
Undivided Profits	" "	627,775

LONDON OFFICE:—36, Bishopsgate E. C—

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Bombay.	Cebu	San Francisco.
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THE CORPORATION sells drafts and Cable Transfers on the principal cities of Europe, America, Australia, China, and Japan, buys bills of exchange, Letters of Credit, and carries on every description of Banking and Exchange business.

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H. A. W. BRENT,
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THE ALLIANCE BANK OF SIMLA, LIMITED.

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RESERVE FUND (in Government Paper) .....Rs. 30,00,000

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CURRENT ACCOUNTS opened and interest allowed half yearly at 2 per cent. per annum on daily balances from Rs. 500 upto Rs. 1,00,000; but no interest is allowed when the sum accrued does not amount to Rs. 5 half yearly.

FIXED DEPOSITS received and interest allowed at rates which can be ascertained on application.

SAVINGS BANK.—Deposits received and interest allowed. Rules on application.

BANKING BUSINESS of every description transacted. RULES OF BUSINESS and full information obtainable on application.

W. A. M. LATTEY,
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THE CENTRAL BANK OF INDIA LIMITED.

HEAD OFFICE:—Gresham Buildings.

PAID UP CAPITAL .....Rs. 15,00,000
RESERVE FUND .....Rs. 1,00,000

Banking business of every description transacted.

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Payable in 15 day's notice 2½ per cent. under Bank Rate.
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NO CHANCE OF LOSING MONEY DEPOSITED IN THIS BANK.

The following figures of the Working Capital show the Bank's progress in 1912

31st January, 1912	..Rs.	8,00,000
30th April,	" ....Rs.	24,00,000
31st July	" ....Rs.	52,00,000
30th December	" ....Rs.	100,00,000

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Snowflake	150	in cases.
White Rose	150	" "
Chester	125	" "
Devoe's	125	" "
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ORDERS FOR

CAKES ETC.,

NOW REGISTERED

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MONGINI BROTHERS,

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PUBLIC NOTIFICATIONS.

S. S. "TRAFFORD HALL,"

ARRIVED on 6th September, 1913.

CONSIGNEES are requested TO TAKE DELIVERY of their CARGO from the Docks. Packages, exceeding 30 cwts. in weight, will be landed on the quay at the risk and expense of the consignees, unless boats are sent alongside to take delivery without delay.

Chafed or broken packages must be surveyed before removal from the Landing Shed and within one week of their being landed, otherwise no claim will be recognised. The undersigned decline to survey Goods removed to the Unclaimed Warehouse.

Captain Metcalfe will attend every morning to survey damaged and broken packages. All claims must be certified by him and sent in within a month of Steamer's arrival, or they will not be paid.

EDWARD BATES & SONS' AGENCY.
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Agents.

Home Street, Bombay.

THE ASSOCIATED EXCHANGE BANKS.

THE ASSOCIATED EXCHANGE BANKS will be CLOSED, on THURSDAY and FRIDAY, the 11th and 12th instant, being Public Holidays under the Negotiable Instruments Act, 1881.

NOTICE.

Re: Estate of ERUCH RUTTONJI BOMANJI deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 320 of the Indian Succession Act (X of 1865) and Section 42 of the Trustees and Mortgagees' Powers Act (XXVIII of 1866) that all persons claiming debts or liabilities affecting the estate of the abovenamed Eruch Ruttonji Bomanji deceased who died at Bombay on or about the 14th day of June, 1911 and Letters of Administration of whose estate having effect throughout the Province of Bombay were granted on the Fifth day of November, 1912, to Messrs. Kharshedji Ratanji Bomanji and Shavak Ratanji Bomanji of Bombay Parsis are hereby required to send in their CLAIMS to the said Administrators at the office of Messrs. Pestanjee Rustim Kola and Co., their Attorneys at No. 79, Medow Street Fort, Bombay within one calendar month from the date hereof at the expiration of which time the said administrators will hand over the assets to the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have notice and no claim sent in subsequently will be recognised.

AND ALL PERSONS indebted to or holding any securities or property belonging to the said estate are hereby required forthwith to pay the amount owing by them or to deliver up the said securities or property as the case may be to the said Attorneys for the abovenamed Administrators.—Dated this 5th day of September, 1913.

PESTANJEE RUSTIM KOLA & CO.,
Attorneys for the said Administrators.

NOTICE.

THE HALF YEARLY GENERAL MEETING of the Royal Bombay Yacht Club, will be held at the Club House, on MONDAY, the 8th September, 1913, at 6-30 p. m.

H. M. C. TROTTER,
Hon. Secretary.

NORTH WESTERN RAILWAY.

FOR SALE.

THE UNDERMENTIONED TENTS in thorough good order and complete in all respects with durries, etc., are offered for sale :—

No.	Description.	Size.	Price.
			Rs. A. P.
4	Swiss Cottage Tents	15'×16'	470 0 0
10	Do. Do.	14'×14'	483 6 0
5	Do. Do.	12'×12'	405 0 0 to 480 0
9	Hill Tents with both side Sawens enclosed thus forming two extra rooms	14'×14'	450 0 0 to 466 0 0
27	Do. Do.	12'×12'	405 0 0 to 425 0 0
4	Kashmir Tents ...	12'+12'	180 0 0 to 199 5 0
2	Do.	10'×10'	193 8 0

The above have all been made by leading Tent Makers in Cawnpore.

Lists containing further particulars can be obtained on application to :—

THE CHIEF STOREKEEPER,
North-Western Railway,
Naulakha, P. O.

Chief Storekeeper's Office,
Lahore, the 30th August, 1913.

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Manager and Chief Engineer's Office,
Bhuj, 1st September, 1913.

PUBLIC NOTIFICATIONS.

BOMBAY MUNICIPAL CORPORATION.

AN ORDINARY MONTHLY MEETING of the Corporation will be held in the Municipal Office on MONDAY, the 15th September, 1913, at 3 P.M. (Bombay Time), for the consideration of the following business:

1. Bombay Improvement Trust Memoranda—Forwarding excerpts from the Trustees Proceedings.

2. Schools Committee's letter—Forwarding excerpts from the Committee's proceedings.

3. Notice of motion from the Hon'ble Sir Pherozeshah M. Mehta, K.C.I.E., seconded by Mr. D. E. Wacha—For expressing regret at the death of Mr. John Willcocks.

Letters from Messrs. Vishnu Hari Athavale & Co.—

4. Regarding the refund of amount deposited in respect of water connections.

5. Regarding the making of water connections to new buildings before they are assessed.

6. Letters from Dr. Kharshedji Nowroji Saklat, and others and from Mr. D. F. Mulla, Advocate, and others—Complaining of the location of a urinal near the Ladysett Fire Temple.

7. Letter from Messrs. Nanu Hormasji & Co., Solicitors, on behalf of their clients, Messrs. Nanu N. Kothare, Bai Manockbai, wife of Mr. Nanu N. Kothare, and Mr. Bapuji Narayan Kothare—Thanking the Corporation for their resolution deferring the erection of a latrine and urinal on the site of a reclaimed well at Thakurdwar.

8. Letter from Messrs. Faredun K. Dadachanji, B.A., LL.B., Solicitor, and others—Thanking the Corporation for their decision on the question of re-vaccination.

9. Letter from Mr. Ardeshir Nowroji Gazdar—Stating that certain old buildings at the corner of Gunbow Street and Bazar Gate Street may be acquired for street improvement.

10. Letter from the Secretary, Royal Colonial Institute—Requesting information for the information Bureau established by the Council of the Institute.

11. Letter from Mr. Ruttonshaw Dhunjibhoy Shroff Complaining of nuisance caused by a sewer in Khetwadi 9th Lane.

12. Letter from Mr. Manekji Fakirji Gotla—Suggesting that measures should be taken to combat venereal diseases.

13. Letter from Messrs Shaikhboy Tyebjee and Sons—Complaining of the condition of the Custom House Road and Marine Road.

14. Letter from Mr. Narayen Raghunath Gogate and others—Complaining of the condition of Post Office Lane, Girgaum Back Road.

15. Letter from Mr. M. H. Goolamhusein—Requesting the Corporation to move Government to reconsider the designs for the Gateway proposed to be erected at the Apollo Bunder and the question of the Memorandum Improvement Scheme.

16. Letter from Mr. Keshavlal S. Sanghani—Regarding the advances of one-fifth drawback in respect of single rooms.

17. Letter from Mr. D. D. Mukerjee—Complaining of the insanitary condition of a house in Chaupatty.

18. Petition from Barkia Lodia and others—Regarding privy accommodation in connection with certain properties situated at Kolivada.

Resolutions of the Standing Committee—

19—20. Sanctioning, subject to the Corporation's orders, certain Budget transfers.

21. Recommending that a letter from Shaik Abdul Ghani, Trip-Marker in the Health Department, regarding his dismissal, be forwarded to the Commissioner for disposal.

22. Recommending sanction to the damages, payable in respect of certain huts at Agripada destroyed by fire, being met from the Municipal Buildings Fire Insurance Fund.

23. Sanctioning, subject to the Corporation's orders, a Budget transfer of Rs. 1,300 for purchasing a house and other materials.

24. Recommending that in reply to their letter regarding the condition of the road on the western side of the B. B. & C. I. Railway, Mr. Hormasji Cawasji Katrak and others be informed to the effect of the Commissioner's report.

25. Sanctioning, subject to the Corporation's orders, a Budget transfer of Rs. 577, for constructing a cesspool in Cathedral Street, Bhuleshwar.

26. Recommending approval to the acquisition of a property for the improvement of Worli Road.

27. Submitting a report regarding the invitation of tenders for the supply of Cast-Iron Pipes, etc., in connection with the duplication of the Tansa Main.

28. Sanctioning, subject to the Corporation's orders, a Budget transfer of Rs. 947, to supplement the grant for the salary of the Executive Engineer.

29. Recommending that in reply to their letters regarding the delay in the execution of the work of laying communication pipes at their premises at Kandewadi and Mount Road, Bai Devkorebai and Mr. Haji Joosab Haji Sheriff be respectively informed to the effect of the Commissioner's report.

30. Recommending that in reply to their letter regarding the condition of the road from the Monarji Soudagar Mill to Curry Road, Messrs. K. R. Desai and others be informed to the effect of the Commissioner's report.

31. Submitting a report regarding a proposal for the modification of Furlough Leave Rules applicable to Heads of Departments and other Officers of the Municipality.

32. Recommending sanction to the laying of a 9" sewer on the east of the Victoria Terminus Station and sanctioning subject to the Corporation's orders, a Budget transfer of Rs. 5,459 to meet the expenditure.

33. Recommending a grant of Rs. 16,848 for the construction of a hospital for cattle at the Tardeo flats.

34. Recommending sanction to an alteration in the alignment of the storm-water drain along Parel Chawl road and Kalachowki Road etc.

35. Recommending that in reply to his letter, regarding the condition of Bomanji Lane, Fort, Mr. P. P. Gustad be informed to the effect of the Commissioner's report.

36. Fixing, subject to confirmation by the Corporation, amounts of securities to be furnished by certain clerks of the Schools Committee's Office.

37. Government Letter—Forwarding Government Resolution regarding the rules framed under the Motor Vehicles International Circulation Act, 1912.

38. Notice of motion from Mr. Vasantrao Anandrao Dabholkar—For obtaining a report regarding the filthy condition of Zaoba's Dart.

Letters from the Commissioner—

39. Forwarding a copy of the High Court's judgment and other documents in connection with the case of the Municipality vs. Sir Adamji Peerbhoy.

40. (a) Requesting sanction to revised regular lines being prescribed for Gowalia Tank Road and (b) Forwarding a letter from Messrs. Kemp and Co., Ltd., who object to the proposal.

41. Forwarding a statement showing the quantity of water brought into the City.

42. Requesting sanction to a Model in the fire Brigade Department being paid a special commissionate allowance.

43. Reporting the sale of a piece of Municipal land at Chinchpokli Road.

44. Forwarding a statement of assessment of properties.

45. Forwarding returns of unwholesome food-stuff destroyed by the Market Department.

46. Forwarding statements regarding the cleansing of sewers and drains in the City.

47. Requesting approval to a street at Charni Road being named "Powvala Road."

48. Requesting sanction to fees being fixed for the hire of Motor Fire Engines and for their attendance at fires outside the Municipal limits.

49. (a) Report of the Committee of the Corporation regarding Draft Bye-Laws in respect of Milch Cattle stables. (b) Letter from the Commissioner—Forwarding Counsel's opinion regarding the question of re-notifying draft Bye-Laws once notified if subsequent to such notification it is proposed to amend them.

Letters from the Commissioner—

50. Forwarding a statement showing the apportionment of the reclaimed site of the Babula Tank.

51. Forwarding a return of work done in the Municipal Laboratory.

52. (a) Forwarding a return showing the hours of supply of water to the different localities and (b) Notice of motion from Mr. B. S Navalkar—For obtaining a report regarding the desirability of giving an increased supply of water to districts to which water is now supplied for seven years.

53. Forwarding a return of motor cars and motor cycles taxed in the City.

54. Forwarding Analytical and Bacteriological Reports on the Bombay Water Supplies.

Notices of Motions—

55. From Mr. Rahimtulla Currimbhoy—For appointing Mr. Jamsetji Ardaseer Wadia to be an additional member of the Medical Relief Committee.

56. From the Hon'ble Sir Pherozeshah M. Mehta, K.C.I.E.—For appointing Mr. A. M. Ted to be an additional member of the Medical Relief Committee.

57. From Dr. Nadirshaw H. F. Sukhia—For appointing the Hon'ble Dr. D. A. D'Monte and Dr. Ratansha T. Nariman to be additional members of the Medical Relief Committee.

58. From Mr. Phiroze C. Sethna—For appointing Mr. H. P. Mody to be an additional member of the Committee regarding the filling up of a portion of the low-lying area between the Hornby Vellard and the Race Course.

59. From Mr. E. L. Sale—For obtaining a report regarding complaints received from the owners of horses and carriages of accidents due to the slippery surface of Queen's Road.

60—61. From Mr. Khimji Hirji Kayani—(60) For obtaining a report regarding the condition of the Northbrook and Falkland Road Gardens and the necessity of continuing the use of the Northbrook Garden for a health camp and (61) For obtaining plans and estimates for a urinal to be erected in Share Bazar on sanitary principles in lieu of the one now existing and for obtaining a report regarding the practicability of constructing underground urinals and latrines in the locality.

62. From Dr. Nadirshaw H. E. Sukhia—For appointing Messrs. R. S. Navalkar, H. P. Mody and Hoseinboy A. Laljee to be additional members of the Committee regarding improvements in the law and procedure of Municipal elections.

63. From Mr. Vasantrao Anandrao Dabholkar—For obtaining proposals for the improvement of awkward corners at the junctions of certain roads and for obtaining a report regarding the existence of such corners on newly constructed roads.

64—65. From Dr. F. Moses—(64) For obtaining a report as to the necessity and cost of covering up the storm water drains in the City after the rains and (65) For taking steps for filling in and draining off all pools, ditches etc., in the City so as to prevent them from forming breeding places of mosquitoes.

66. From Dr. Dinsha Bamanji Pestanji Master—For obtaining a report regarding the cost of covering the open Municipal drains on the Girgaum Road and in the Khetwady district.

67. From Mr. Hoosenbhoy A. Laljee—For requesting the Election Rules Committee to consider the advisability of amending the Municipal Act so as to admit of an appeal being made to the High Court from the judgment of the Chief Judge of the Small Causes Court in Municipal Election cases.

68. From M. Khimji Hirji Kayani—For obtaining a report regarding the number of theatres, etc., in the City and the sanitary and other arrangements at these places.

69. From Mr. R. B. Mandlik—For appointing Mr. Vasantrao Anandrao Dabholkar to be an audit coual member of the Committee regarding the question of giving over the Nakoda Tank to the St. Xavier's High School for the extension of the School play ground.

70. From the Hon'ble Sir Pherozeshah M. Mehta, K.C.I.E.—For obtaining a report regarding the desirability of having Municipal rain gauges in the city.

71. From Mr. Hiralal Dayabhai Nanavati—For obtaining a report regarding the adulteration of sweet oil with waste oil.

72. From M. Khimji Hirji Kayani—For obtaining a report regarding the precautionary arrangements existing in theaters, play-houses and Cinemas against fires.

73. From Dr. Poonsey H. Meisheri—For obtaining a report regarding the feasibility of supplying the Mandvi Ward with water at high pressure.

Letters from the Commissioner—

74. Forwarding a report regarding the erection of a soap factory at West Agripada.

75. Forwarding Government Resolution regarding the raising of certain loans.

76. Forwarding a report regarding the violent stench wafting from the Sea Face to Queen's Road.

77. Forwarding Government letter inquiring whether the Corporation will have any objection to the nomination of Dr. J. A. Turner Executive Health Officer, as a delegate from this Presidency to attend the Third All-India Sanitary Conference at Lucknow.

78. Requesting sanction to the Tramways Company being allowed to carry out an extension of the overhead mains along Narayan Dabholkar Road.

Notices of Motions—

79. From Mr. Cowasji Jehangir—For obtaining a report regarding the condition of roads in the City.

80. From Dr. K. E. Dadachanji — For obtaining returns from the Standing Committee showing the enforcement of sanction obtained for the removal of unauthorized works.

81. From Dr. Moreshwar C. Javle—For obtaining a report regarding the nuisance caused by the use of foul water from the Low Level Channel between Dadar and Elphinstone Road for watering grass fields.

82— 3. Memoranda from the Municipal Secretary—Forwarding (82) a return of Budget transfers sanctioned by the Standing Committee and (83) a statement of Committees of the Corporation—

Reports of Committees of the Corporation—

84. Regarding a proposal for making adequate provision for the accommodation and treatment of cases of infectious diseases occurring among Europeans and Anglo-Indians in the City of Bombay.

85. Regarding the erection of Hackney Stables at Boodhanwadi.

86. Regarding the question of increasing the width of the DeLisle Road Overbridge and of the alteration of the set-back line thereat.

87. Regarding the question of (1) Sewerage of the north of the Island, (2) Deep Sea Outfall at Love Grove and (3) Effects of the introduction of an increased Water-supply on the drainage system.

88. Submitting volumes of a comprehensive Index to the Proceedings of the Corporation and the Standing Committee from the year 1873 to 1911-12.

89. Regarding the City Improvement Trust's Undria Street Improvement Scheme.

90. Regarding matters connected with the Tramway service in the city.

91. Regarding the amendment of rules for the election of Members to the Legislative Council of His Excellency the Governor of Bombay.

By Order of the President,

R. P. MASANI,
Municipal Secretary.

Municipal Corporation Office,
Bombay, 6th September 1913.

PUBLIC NOTIFICATIONS.

BOMBAY MUNICIPALITY.

LOAN NOTIFICATION.

Particulars and conditions of two 4 per cent. Loans having a currency of 40 years each.

(1) The first Instalment of Rs. 35 Lakhs, of the 70 Lakhs Loan for Reduplication of the Tansa Water Works Main and other Auxiliary works, repayable in 40 years ending 1st June 1954.

(2) The first instalment of Rs. 10 Lakhs of the 20 Lakhs Loan for Street Improvements, repayable in 40 years ending 1st May 1955.

WITH the sanction of the Government of India, the Municipal Commissioner, on behalf of the Municipal Corporation of the City of Bombay, hereby invites tenders for the above Loans.

2. The Loans are to be raised on the security of the General Revenues of the Bombay Municipality, subject to any prior charges in respect of balances of previous Loans not yet fully paid off.

TENDERS.

3. Tenders for the whole or any portion of the above Loans will be received by the Municipal Commissioner, up to 12 o'clock, (noon) Bombay Time, on TUESDAY, the 9th September, 1913. Tenders must be for sums of Rs. 500 or multiples of Rs. 500.

4 Each tender must be addressed to the Municipal Commissioner for the City of Bombay and enclosed in a sealed cover, superscribed,

(I) "Tender for Rs. 35 Lakhs of the 70 Lakhs Loan for Reduplication of Tansa Main."

(II) "Tenders for Rs. 10 Lakhs of the 20 Lakhs Loan for Street Improvements."

The superscription should be strictly adhered to.

5. The rate at which each tender is made must be specified in Rupees or Rupees and Annas; it must not contain a fraction of an anna; if a rate containing a fraction of an anna is inserted in any tender, such fraction will be struck out and the tender treated as if the rate did not contain such fraction of an anna.

6. The Municipal Commissioner does not bind himself to accept the highest or any tender or tenders and further reserves to himself the right to accept the whole, or such portion only, as he may think proper, of any sum tendered for.

7. Tenderers, whose tenders are accepted, will have to pay into the Chief Accountant's Office the whole amount of the tender not later than the

(1) 30th November 1913 in respect of the loan for 35 Lakhs for the Reduplication of Tansa Main.

(2) 31st October 1913 in respect of the loan for 10 Lakhs for Street Improvements.

8. In the event of any of the above Loans being over-subscribed the amount allotted at the lowest rate at which tenders are accepted will be divided amongst those who have tendered at this rate, in proportion, as nearly as may be found convenient, to the amounts of their tenders, provided that no allotment will be made in respect of any portion of a tender thus distributable which amounts to less than Rs. 500.

DEPOSITS.

9. A sum equal to 2 per cent. on the par value of the debentures tendered for must be deposited with each tender. A separate deposit must be made in respect of each tender. Interest will not accrue until payment of the tendered amount in full is made, as specified in clause 7.

10. Deposits must be in one of the following forms:—

(a) Cash or Currency Notes.

(b) A cheque drawn in favour of the Municipal Commissioner on a Bank in Bombay.

(c) Government promissory Notes, Municipal, Port Trust, or Bombay Improvement Trust Debentures, blank endorsed.

11. Deposits not being Government Promissory Notes, or Municipal, Port Trust or Bombay Improvement Trust Debentures, will, in the case of tenders accepted either wholly or in part, be credited in part payment of the total amount of an accepted tender.

12. If, after the acceptance of any tender either wholly or in part, the allotment is not fully taken up by the date specified above, the deposit in connection with the tender will be forfeited.

13. Deposits on tenders which may not be accepted, either wholly or in part, will be returned without interest, on application to the Chief Accountant, Bombay Municipality.

INTEREST AND SINKING FUND.

14. Interest will be paid half-yearly in Bombay at the rate of four per cent. per annum, and a sufficient sum will be set aside annually and invested, in such manner as may be authorised by the law for the time being in force, to provide for the payment of the whole of the principal of the Loans on the dates of repayments mentioned above.

15. Interest will accrue on accepted tendered amounts only from the dates of payment in full into the Chief Accountant's Office, and will be paid in Bombay, by the Bank of Bombay, or such other Agent or Agents as may be appointed by the Corporation from time to time in that behalf, as follows:—

(1) With regard to the Loan of Rs. 35 lakhs for Reduplication of Tansa Main, from the date of payment in full to the 30th November 1913, on 1st December 1913 and ther after on the 1st June and 1st December of each year.

(2) With regard to the 10 lakhs Loan for Street Improvements, from the date of payment in full to the 31st October 1913, on 1st November 1913 and thereafter on the 1st May and 1st November of each year.

16. To each tenderer, whose tender is accepted either wholly or in part, and who pays the amount of the accepted tender on or before the date specified in clause 7 above, scrip receipts for payments made will be granted by the Chief Accountant, Bombay Municipality. Debentures will be issued in exchange for such receipts as soon as possible.

17. Forms of tender can be obtained on application at the Chief Accountant's Office.

J. CREAR,
Municipal Commissioner
for the City of Bombay.

Municipal Commissioner's Office,
Bombay, 22nd August, 1913.

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SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

The steamer Pet er Jebsen, 3535 tons, Captain G Meyer which arrived here on Saturday from Calcutta, Augu st 23, brought a cargo of coal.

The Hall Line ste amer Trafford Hall, 3416 tons, Captain J M Mi lin which arrived here o Saturday evening fro n Birkenhead, August 12, brought a geneal car go and passengers.

The B I S N Co's s teamer Linga, 1312 tons, Captain W B Morison, arrive here on Saturday from Karachi wi th mails, a general cargo and passengers.

The P and O Co's st eamer Arabia, 4198 tons, Captain W B Palmer, sailed on Saturday for London with mails, a general cargo and passengers.

The steamer Ryaber sk o, 2201 tons, Captain Y Ba sen, sailed on Saturday for Calcutta with a general car o.

The steamer Lawoe, 1 317 tons Captain W H Coates, B N S, arrived in harbour on Friday from Jeddah with ballas t and 5 passengers.

The steamer Alfeld, 2450 tons, C ptain H Nielmann, arrived in ha rbour on Friday from Port Said with ballast.

The Committee of the B ombay Chambe of Commerce have decided th at Friday, 5th Sept. 1913, should be regarded as a full weather working day for vessels in the Prince's and Victoria Docks.

ESSELS IN TH E STREAM.

ROYAL NAVY & R. I. M. VESSELS.

H M S Philomel...Comdr G P 'G Ballard...R N
R I M S Dufferin...Comdr E J 'Goadlam ..R I M
R I M S Hardinge...Comdr Ha milton ...R I M
R I M S Palinurus...Comdr W C Taylor R I M
R I M S Investigator...Capt Hi tchman...R I M

VESSELS IN THE HARBC UR.—Sept. 6.

Adamsturm .....Hatinheid ... .T M & Co
Alfeld .....2450 Nierman..... .....
Baron Dalmeny...2503 Gordon .....Kell & Co
Baron Cawdor...2764 Caskie ... F and A G Co
Badrie.....1613 Fisher .. Arab Stra Ltd
Beme .....1899 Wright .....P Wallace and Co
Bahadur...2936 Poet..... T Mosul Co
Colaba.....3899 Roberts on ..M M and Co
Delta.....4780 Martin...Shangl ai...24-9... Pa ndO S N Co
Catharine Apear...1730 Berefest M Mann Co
Hosseineo... 964 Fanning .....T Harrison & Co
Islami.....1664 Hughes... ...T M & Co
Islanda .....Mac Lean..... E M and Co
Inverkip.....2816 G asson..... P and Co
Indo-Maru ...3972 Momeiya ..... Kobe..... ..
G S Kuisha
Itria .....3419 Gulgey ..... E M and Co
Khosrou.....2410 Hannah .....J Siddah ...
T M and Co
Kola .....570 Minnett ....M Al anaO
Lawol.....1817 Coates.....Jeda h.....D M Chandmani
Manin.....1079 Zennaro...T Al and Co
Muttra.....2985 Corey .....M M and Co
Saaed..... 157 Bonafield.....Port Said..... Arab d Trad ad
Stephanotis...2584 Goodridge...A Yul e and Co

VESSELS IN DOCK.—Sept. 6.

PRINCE'S DOCK.

Vessels.	Tons.	Capts.	Dest.	Date.	Berths.
A Kirklee...	...2275	Corrie	...J F and Co		
Cark Onimdwara..	3407	Beeq ..	Calcutta...	8-9	M M and Co
D M Sangola...	3348	Scott	Java ...	6-9	M M and Co
G Kanzler.....	1865	Sobapp	.....	10-9..	A Strandes ..e Co
K Penang Maru...	3274	Murazzuni	Kobe..	5-9	N Y K sisha
M China	4160	Tooque...	China ...	10-9	P and O Co
O Redbridge ...	2444	Vasey.....	Genoa...	10-9	W and A G and Co
P Uhenfels	3568	Olbroon.....	.....	1 9-9	W and A G and Co

VICTORIA DOCK.

1 Nurani...	2470	Atkin...	Jeddah ...	T M & Co
2 Olympia...	3690	Graham	Liverpool.....	17-9... W and A G and Co
3 Persia...	3779	Nardo...	Cairo 6-9	A L S N Co
4 Strathearn...	2345	Braddon ..	Hull...	6-9 .. K N & Co
5 Montebello ...	2770	Gill ..	Hull..	J F and Co
8 Banca...	379.	Garwood...	Port Said	2-9 .. P and O Co
9 Liebenfels ...	2830	Kuhlcras ...	Hamburg...	12-9 ..W and A G Co
12x13 India ...	4198	Talbot	Aden .	13-9 P and O Co
16 Capri	4209	Partunato ...	Genoa ..	8-9 M Italiana

M W D D.

Konig.....	3176	Uhlzan ...	10-9	O S and Co

ARRIVALS

Sept.	Vessels.	Commanders.	Destination
6	Alfeld	Nieman ...	Port Said A 22
	Lawoe	Coates	Jaddah Aug 21
	Peter Jebsen..	Meyer ...	Calcutta A 23
	Trafford Hall.	Main	Bi'head A 12
	Linga	Marrison ...	Karachi Sep 5
7	Principle	diPremonte	Genoa Aug 2
	Seistan	Forbes	Rangoon A 25
	Putiala	Bamber ...	Hossen Aug26
	Kasara	Munnett ...	Suaren Aug30
	Clan Stuart...	Anderson...	Liverpool A13

DEPARTURES

Sept.	Vessels	Commanders.	From
6	Arabia	Palmer	London
	Bome	Wright.....	Rangoon
	Rysbergen ...	Bergen.....	Calcutta
	Brinkburn ...	Proctor ...	London
	City of Glasgow	Wilson ...	Karachi

The following vessels began to load on Saturday.

Steamer Delta, for Shanghai etc.
" Bahadur, for Jeddah.
" Olympia, for Liverpool etc.

STEAMER MOVEMENTS

The B I S N Co's steamer Chyebassa left Port Said on the evening of the 4th instant. The same Co's steamer Chilkata left Port Said on the morning of 1st September.

The Anchor Line steamer Castalia, arrived Liverpool from Bombay on the morning of the 5th instant.

The Clan Line steamer Clan Lindsay left Suez on the morning of the 5th instant.

The Ellerman Line steamer City of Lahore sailed from Liverpool, outward bound, on the evening of the 3rd instant. The same Co's steamer City of Colombo, outward bound, sailed from Port Said on the 5th instant and is due to arrive in Bombay on the morning of the 16th instant.

RESCUE AT SEA.

Information has reached headquarters of the Imperial Merchant Service Guild from Galvaston, U.S.A., concerning an act of bravery on behalf of one of their members, Captain Jas. O'Neill, commanding the oil tank steamer "Bloomfield," owned by Messrs. Hunting & Son of Neweastle-on-Tyne. The Cardiff steamer "Exford," in command of Captain W. Donovan, was moving from one part of the harbour to the other when the member of her crew named H. Weeks fell overboard. The accident was noticed by Captain O'Neill, who seeing the man could not swim, at once dived fully clothed from the deck of his vessel into the harbour and, despite the current which was running, rescued the man and swam with him to one of the piers, where with the assistance of willing hands from the shore, both men where pulled out of the water, the gallant rescue being witnessed by a large number of persons who loudly cheered the Captain for his heroic conduct. When requested by press representives to give an account of the rescue, Captain O'Neill was extremely reticent and modestly declined to say anything about it. Had it not been for the Agent of the Guild at Galveston nothing would have been heard of the matter.

DAILY EXPORTS—SEPT. 6.

FOR LIVERPOOL.

Olympia s—2,000 cwts groundnut and kardee cake, B F and O Mill Co.

FOR HULL.

Strathern s—6,000 cwts cottonseed, Sanday and Co; 2,000 cwts cottonseed, B S Lloyd and Co; 4,000 wheat, Sanday and Co

FOR ANTWERP.

Colaba s—4,360 cwts linseed, K Devchand.

Adamsturm s—4,004 cwts linseed, C Bogiano and Co; 3,940 cwts mowraseed, B S Lloyd and Co; 8,640 cwts linseed, K Devchand and Co; 4,001 linseed, M B Kaisha.

FOR HAMBURG.

Liebenfels —1,929 cwts wheat flour, D Rattonsey; 1,000 cwts myraballams, P Mathuradass and Co; 2,000 cwts linseed, Ralli Bros; 41 bales cotton, W Wolf and Sons.

Uhenfels s—440 bales cotton, F F Campbell and Co; 600 cwts kajoo kernels, R Damjee and Co; 1,000 cwts myrabolams, P Mathuradas and Co; 2,804 bales cotton, 3,000 cwts linseed, Ralli Bros, 55 bales cotton, H H Kayani and Co.

FOR PORT SAID (for orders.)

Banca s—6,000 cwts castorseed, Ralli Bros

FOR GENOA.

Redbridge s—200 bales cotton, Glazebrook and Co; 43 bales cotton hoisery cuttings, Soloman Bros; 2,000 cwts. rapeseed, 2,400 cwts linseed, Ralli Bros.

FOR KOBE.

Indo Maru s—800 bales cotton, Tata Sons and Co

Penang Maru s—555 bales cotton, M B Kaisha.

FOR OSAKA.

Indo Maru s—800 bales cotton, Breul and Co

FOR YAKKAICHI.

Penang Maru s—200 bales cotton, M B Kaisha.

FOR HONGKONG.

Penang Maru s—200 bales cotton twist, C Ebrahim and Co.

China s—113 cwts dry kismish, D Passoo and Co.; 10 cwts fismaws, E Moledina; 40 chests Malwa opium, S Hakamchand.

Persia s—624 cwts cotton twist, David Sassoon and Co.

FOR SHANGHAI.

Penang Maru s—500 bales cotton twist, David Sassoon and Co.

DAILY IMPORTS—SEPT. 6.

Steamer s s. Olympia from Liverpool. Agents.—W and A Graham and Co. 8,000 firebricks, 12 casks tiles, 435 casks china clay, 113 barrels copperas, 6 casks silicate soda, 100 bags bicarb soda, 1116 bags soda ash, 95 drums sulphide, of sodium, 65 drums caustic soda, 30 drums bleaching powder, 19 drums calcium chloride, 200 kegs sulphate of copper, 9 trucs 1 coil rope, 55 bales cotton waste, 45 cases medicines, 1 case 25 bags buffalo pickers, 10 boxes fish, 51 crates glass bottles, 12 cases plate glass, 25 cases scrap glass, 54 cases 200 boxes window glass, 750 bundles buckets, 7 cases locks, 32 cases nails, 19 cases 430 hogsheads ale, 25 hogsheads 25 cases stout, 315 hogsheads ale and stout, 1 hogsheads sherry, 2 hogsheads portwine, 4 hogsheads 1 cask 1947 cases whisky, 4 casks turkey red oil, 2 barrels lubricating oil, 20 kegs paints, 6 cases oilcloth, 20 drums grease, 4 cases 11 casks lampware, 138 casks gum tragasol, 48 cases 272 bales paper, 32 casks coal pitch, 20 cases bacons, 4 cases hams, 51 cases 10 boxes biscuits, 10 cases cheese, 2 cases preserves, 45 cases sauce, 62 cases confectionery, 20 cases 15 casks 4 casks vinegar, 27 cases 10 barrels 7.5 boxes soap, 22 casks 104 barrels tallow, 324 cases 561 bales cotton yarn, 44 bales canvas, 1641 bales 3624 cases cotton goods, 163 cases bleached cotton goods, 41 cases 17 bales dyed cotton goods, 360 bales 31 cases grey cotton goods, 161 cases 13 bales printed cotton goods, 2 cases cotton and silk goods, 5 cases spun silk, 15 cases linnens, 147 cases 176 bales cotton and woollen goods, 154 bales, 133 cases woollen goods.

Steamer s. s. India from London, Agents.—P and O S N Co. 2170 casks cement, 13 drums sulphate of sodium, 1 case watches, 1 case clocks, 70 cases drugs and medicines, 7 cases saffron, 27 cases cochineal, 10 cases quinine, 114 casks alizarine, 70 cases 184 package aniline, 4 cases lampware, 6 cases imitations pearls, 24 cases ivory, 10 packages glass bottles, 12 cases cyder, 3 cases gum, 2 cases beer and whisky, 20 cases rum, 934 cases brandy, 75 cases champagne, 321 cases gin, 449 cases wine, 35 cases sherry and port, 50 cases prunes, 10 cases spirits, 2 cases 1 pkge 3 casks whisky, 4 hogsheads portwine, 1 hogsheads sherry, 280 cases vermouth, 450 bundles copper sheets, 150 bundles 25 bottles quicksilver, 29 crates buckets, 5 cases leather, 25 casks tallow, 365 drums oil, 3 cases agricultural seeds.

MOTORCAR TURNED TURTLE.

Mr. M. P. Dalal's motor-car (No. 1349) was being driven by the chauffeur, Visram Baloo, on Friday along Hughes-road. At the junction of Hughes-road and Babunath-road the driver saw a shigram coming in the opposite direction. He swerved the car sharply, and the car was overturned. The body of the car was smashed and is said to have suffered damage to the extent of about Rs. 1,000. The driver sustained slight injuries only. He says hat the shigram was on the wrong side of the road, that it was being driven at a high speed and that its driver was whipping the horse.

GIRL FALLS FROM A VERANDAH.

A Hindu girl, named Atikabai, aged four, was playing on the verandah of her house on the first floor of a building in Pakmodia-street. She leaned against the railing and pushed it, when a railing gave way and the girl fell through the gap to the pavement below. She was taken to the Sir J. J. Hospital, where she has been detained for treatment.

DOMESTIC OCCURRENCES.

THE charges for announcement of BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS and MEMORIAM NOTICES, which must be authenticated by the name and address of the sender, are Rs. 2 for six lines or less, and 6 as. for every additional line. CASH strictly in ADVANCE.

BOMBAY.

MARRIAGE.

QUARME—MARTIN—On the 6th September, at St. Thomas' Cathedral, Bombay, by the Rev. Canon Barham, Arthur Roger, son of Edgar Arthur Quarme, of Lancaster, England, to Kathleen, second daughter of E. Percy Martin, R. N.R., P. and O. Company, and Mrs. Martin, of Eversley, Rothsay Gardens, Bedford.

BIRTH.

REID.—At Balhousie Lodge, Edzell, N. B. on September 4, the wife of Marshall Reid, C. I. E., of a son, who survived his birth only a few hours.

OTHER PRESIDENCIES.

BIRTHS.

LEIPMANN—August 27, at Lynn Regis, Mussoorie, Mrs. Leipmann, wife of Captain H. M. Leipmann, 13th Rajputs, of a son (still-born).

COTTON.—August 31, at Meerut, the wife of Rev. Ben Cotton, Chaplain, of a daughter.

BOMBAY.

TO-DAY.

Olympia Picture Palace, Sandhurst-road.

Excelsior Cinematograph, at 6-30, 8-30 and 10 p.m.

America-India Cinematograph, Charni-road.

Maxim: Trust not in a man who has no religion.

RAILWAY TIME-TABLE.

[In force from 1st September, 1913.]

The following are the hours of arrival and departure of the principal Mail and Express trains at and from Victoria Terminus and Colaba daily. Standard time is given in all cases:—

G. I. P. RAILWAY.

	Arr.	Dep.
Punjab Mail	12-25	17-15
Calcutta Mail (via Jubbulpur)	13-20	21-0
Calcutta Mail (via Nagpur)	8-45	13-30
Madras Mail	6-0	21-30
Poona Mail	11-10	14-45
Delhi Express (3rd and inter. class)	6-40	7-30
Poona Express	19-35	8-0
Manmad Express	11-30	14-25
Postal Express for Punjab ...		*
do do for Calcutta ...		*
do do for Madras ...		*

* Four hours after Mail steamer is signalled on Fridays only.

B. B. & C. I. RAILWAY.

	Arr.	Dep.
Northern Express	8-30	21-0
Guzerat Mail	7-30	21-30
Third Class Kathiawar Express & Delhi Fast Passenger 1st, 2nd and 3rd ...	6-45	21-45

SIR MANGALDAS NATHUBHAI CHARITABLE DISPENSARY.—The total number of patients treated in this dispensary during the month of August, 1913, was 649 of whom 545 were males and 104 females.

POSTAL NOTICE.—Mails consisting of specially superscribed correspondence for Ceylon Straits Settlements, China and Japan per s. s. "Persia," will be closed at the General Post Office at 10 a. m. on Monday, the 8th September, 1913.

LECTURE.—Mr. Jahangir Sorabjee will lecture in Gujarati at the Hall of the Theosophical Society (21, Hornby Road, Fort,) this evening at 6-30 p. m. (S. T.). Subject:—"Fire of God". The Lecture is open to the public, and seats will be reserved for ladies.

RATANSI MULJI CHARITABLE DISPENSARY.—During the last month, the number of Hindu patients that were treated in this dispensary was 3,090. Among them the number of new admissions was 694, classified as stated below:—Bhattias 47, Vanias 118, Brahmins 126, Lohannas 22, Other castes 379, Christians 2. Total 694. The average daily attendance was 100.

VICTORIA MEMORIAL SCHOOL FOR THE BLIND.—The following contributions towards the above School are acknowledged:—Amount previously acknowledged, Rs. 77,037-8-1; The Bombay Municipal Corporation contribution for the year 1913-14, Rs. 2,500; In afflicted memory of the late Mr. Gunpatrao Madan Agasker of Messrs. Wallace and Co. on his six monthly ceremony day from a Parsee friend "M. B. D.", Rs. 101; Mulchand Kalyandas Jariwalla, Esq., Rs. 40; In sacred memory of Dr. Cowas Lalkaka on the 4th anniversary of his death 30th June 1913, Rs. 30; Odhavjee Devjee Premjee, Esq., in sacred memory of his nephew Pragjee Dayal Hariam's deceased wife Bai Premdabai, Rs. 25; Karsandas Thakersey Ravjee, Esq., Rs. 25; In sacred memory of my dear grand-mother Bai Bhikaijee, from her daughter Bai Avabai, Rs. 25; Bai Jankibai Jamnalalji, Wardhavala, Rs. 20; Bomanjee Pestonjee Surveyor, Esq., Rs. 20; Thakar Mohanlal Nanabhoy, Esq., in sacred memory of his daughter Bai Mulibai, Rs. 15; Ardesar Kharshedjee Irani, Esq., Rs. 15; Dr. N. K. Bhatt, in sacred memory of his deceased wife, Rs. 12; Anonymous, Rs. 11; A Zoroastrian Lady through Mr. Merwanjee F. Master, Rs. 11; Nathubhai Nensey Esq., in sacred memory of his uncle Mr. Naranji Keshavjee, Rs. 10; A Humble Being, Rs. 10; Manekshaw Dhunjishaw, Esq., Rs. 10; Mr. and Mrs. Ranchodbhai B. Patel, Rs. 10; Sakarlal Bulakidas, Esq., Rs. 6; Sums of and under Rupees five, Rs. 23. Total Rs. 79,956-8-1.

SUICIDE OF A BANIA LAD.

At an inquest held at the morgue on the body of a Bania lad named Dulerai Prabhudas, who resided at Ardeshir Street, a verdict of suicide was returned by the jury. The evidence showed that the deceased worked in a perfumery shop at Bhuleswar. On Thursday last he took eight annas from his master. On Friday he was found in a state of unconsciousness, and breathing heavily, and was taken to the Sir J. J. Hospital where he died. Medical examination showed that the boy was suffering from the effects of opium poisoning and an opium vendor gave evidence to the effect that the boy had purchased three quarter of a tola of opium from his shop, saying it was required for medicinal purposes. It was also stated at the enquiry that the boy had been suffering from fever and stomach trouble for sometime past.

WEATHER IN INDIA.

SCATTERED SHOWERS IN NORTHERN PARTS.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

SIMLA, Sept. 6.

Neither monsoon current is giving much rain, but there have been scattered showers over the greater part of Northern India, except the Punjab and Rajputana. Practically no rain is reported from the peninsula. The rainfall has been nearly general in Assam, the east of the United Provinces; fairly general in Gujarat, local in Burma, the west of the United Provinces, Lower Sind and Central India West. A few falls also occurred in Bengal, Bihar, and Orissa, south Rajputana, the Central Provinces and South-east Madras.

The chief amounts are:—Victoria Point, four inches; Bhamo, Dibrugarh and Dhubri, two; Cherrapunji, eighteen; Chittagong, one and a half; Jalpaiguri, two; Chaibassa, one; Gorakhpuro ne and a half; Benares, two; Lucknow, Bahraich, Jhansi, and Hyderabad (Sind) a half; Mount Abu, three; and Madras one.

Forecast:—No large change.

DISTURBANCE DEVELOPING OVER THE BAY.

SIMLA, Sept. 7.

There have been light local showers over a large part of the country, but on the whole both monsoon currents remain weak. There are indications that a disturbance is developing over the Bay.

Rainfall has been nearly general in Assam, Bihar, Punjab southwest; fairly general in Lower Burma, the United Provinces east, and on the west coast; and local in north Bengal, Orissa, Chota Nagpur, Rajputana, Gujarat, and the Central Provinces. A few falls have also occurred in Upper Burma, the United Provinces west, and Hyderabad.

The principal amounts are:—Victoria Point, three inches; Toungoo, two; Lashio, one and a half; Dibrugarh two; Cherrapunji, one; Jalpaiguri, three; Darjeeling, one and a half; Naya Dumka two; Lucknow, one and a half; Mainpuri, a quarter; Bareilly, two; Mount Abu, two; and Mangalore, a half.

Forecast:—No important change.

AT SEA.

The steamer "Lawde," Captain W. H Coates, which arrived in harbour on Friday evening from Juddah reports having experienced heavy rain clouds 500 miles to westward of Bombay.

RAINFALL STATISTICS IN BOMBAY.

	Byculla.	Esplanade.
	In. cts.	In. cts.
Previously registered	78·18	74·75
Sunday, 7th Sept.	0·27	0·24
Total.....	78·45	74·99
Rainfall up to 8 a. m.		

KEMP & CO., LD., CUMBALLA HILL.

Rainfall up to 8 a. m. September 6.

Station.	Last 24 hours.	Total Prodg. to date.	Corrpdg. Total.	Corrpdg. Total.
			1911.	1912.
	In. cts.	In. cts	In. cts.	In. cts.
Cumballa Hill.	0·03	62·94	45·63	48·52

BOOT FACTORY, SION.

Registered Rainfall.

24 hours ending 8 a.m. of the 7th September.	Total up-to-date.
In. cts.	In. cts.
0 88	77 49

Appended is Saturday's report of the Meteorological Reporter for Western India, based on observations taken at 8 o'clock.

Names of Stations.	Maximum temperature during the last 24 hours	Minimum temperature during the last 24 hours.	Rainfall past 24 hours.	Rainfall since 1st June to date.
Roshire 5th ..	91·3	77·5	...	0·00
Jask ...	97·3	83·3	...	0·00
Muskat 5th ...	96·3	82·1	...	0 0
Multan ...	101·3	81·0	...	10·24
Rawalpindi ...	94·4	72·1	...	22·90
Lahore ...	97·4	78·2	...	17·7
Sirsa ...	96·3	77·0	...	17·84
Ambala ...	96·5	76·3	...	28·21
Delhi ...	97·5	80·8	...	18·6
Agra ...	97·0	81·0	0·14	7·13
Mainpuri ...	P	P	...	10·37
Jhansi ...	91·7	77·0	0·66	9·44
Cawnpore ...	92·4	78·5	0·01	16·6
Allahabad ...	88·6	77·0	0·4	24·86
Jacobabad ...	104·1	79·8	...	2 ..
Karachi ...	82·5	74·5	...	12·01
Ajmer ...	89·6	74·2	...	10·61
Jaipur ...	99·2	77·1	...	12·15
Kotah ...	91·6	76·6	...	15·30
Bhuj ...	82·0	74·5	0·01	38·37
Dwarka ...	81·3	75·7	...	17·25
Verawal ...	81·1	76·3	0·13	24·55
Rajkot ...	81·6	73·3	0·06	27·69
Bhavnagar Para.	86·0	74·8	0·12	35·27
Surat ...	84·4	76·6	0·13	36·82
Ahmedabad ...	82·6	75·2	0·15	34·72
Deesa ...	85·3	72·9	0·32	34·51
Neemach ...	81·4	69·0	...	23·84
Indore ...	82·6	70·6	0·15	35·99
Jubbulpore ...	85·4	74·0	...	30·32
Saugor ...	84·8	72·1	...	21·92
Hoshangabad ...	86·1	73·4	0·18	38·14
Khandwa ...	85·7	74·1	...	38·15
Akola ...	87·2	72·5	...	25·81
Amraoti ...	86·8	72·3	...	34·22
Nagpur ...	86·6	74·5	...	42·64
Chanda ...	89·5	76·0	...	49·35
Raipur ...	89·7	76·6	0·25	33·96
BOMBAY ...	84·7	78·9	0·02	65·14
Ratnagiri ...	84·3	75·9	...	65·62
Mormugao ...	84·0	75·7	0·06	80·44
Karwar ...	83·7	74·5	0·03	82·52
Malegaon ...	87·9	72·1	...	13·58
Ahmednagar ...	70·1	66·0	...	15·34
Poona ...	83·5	68·8	...	22·3
Sholapur ...	95·3	69·6	...	10·69
Bijapur ...	90·2	67·8	...	8·95
Belgaum ...	77·3	63·5	...	31·19
Aurangabad ...	83·4	70·0	0·06	19·32
Nizamabad (Indur) ...	87·9	73·2	...	25·60
Hyderabad ...	87·8	72·2	0·12	13·38
Mangalore ...	84·8	74·3	0·05	89·31
Calicut ...	84·3	75·6	...	67·00
Cochin ...	88·7	77·2	...	64·65
Colombo ...	86·0	77·5	0·06	12·71
Masulipatam ...	93·3	78·7	...	7·76
Bellary ...	96·0	78·3	...	3·07
Cuddapah ...	102·0	78·0	...	5·42
Madras ...	88·0	74·0	1·08	5·04
Bangalore ...	90·3	64·8	...	9·71
Coimbatore ...	94·4	72·3	...	2·83
Trichinopoly ...	101·6	78·3	...	1·98
Negapatam ...	96·2	74·7	0·38	7·12

Bombay Local Rainfalls: J J H = 0·8 (78-18); G T H=0·01 (74·76); St G H=0·03 (75·77); C P=0·02 (65·14).

CASTLE-ROCK.

Temperature.		Rainfall.	
Max.	Min.	Past 24 hours. In. Cts.	From 1st June to date In. Cts.
74	68	0·40	136 22

B. B. & C. I. RAILWAY.

The following is the list of total rainfall gauged during the week ending Saturday 30th Aug., 1913:—

	In. cts.		In cts.
Bandra	73 25	Broach	41 73
Panjab	5 72	Balsar	49 92
Vaiturni	74 6	Dabhoi	42 80
Palghar	68 63	Baroda	59 51
Gholvad	59 78	Mehmadabad...	33 10
Daman	92 16	Ahmedabad ...	26 46
Bulsar	84 10	Viramgam ...	23 17
Navsari	50 84	Patri	31 5
Bardoli	46 91	Sevalia	44 79
Nandarbar	19 71	Godhra	44 99
Nardava	16 96	Nimkhera	48 90
Surat	35 89	Dohad	36 7
Kim	41 87	Amargam ...	46 75
Koamba	47 32	Rutlam	38 21
Rajparee	91 14	Nagda	18 10

KOTAH DIVISION.

Alot	22 10	Gangapur ...	9 79
Paonpahar	14 40	Hindaun ...	18 70
Kotah	16 91	Bayana	9 9
Indargarh	6 80	Bharatpur ...	9 45

Summary of observations recorded at 8 hours on Saturday, the 6th September, 1913, giving data for the preceding 24 hours.

The Punjab.—Skies are lightly clouded in the extreme north and clear elsewhere. Humidity is normal or in excess. Maximum temperature is in excess in the extreme eastern districts.

The United Provinces.—Fairly general rain has fallen; Jhansi has had 0·66" and Agra and Allahabad 0·14" each. Skies are moderately clouded in the extreme southern districts and clear or lightly clouded elsewhere. The air contains the average amount of moisture. Maximum temperature is in excess at Jhansi and Agra.

Sind and Rajputana.—Skies are clear in upper Sind and lightly clouded elsewhere. Humidity and temperature are normal.

Gujarat, Kathiawar and Central India West.—Rainfall has been nearly general in Gujarat and local rain in Kathiawar and west Central India; Veraval and Surat have had 0.13" each, Bhavnagar-Para 0·12", Ahmedabad and Indore 0·15" each, and Deesa 0·32". Skies are moderately to heavily clouded. The moisture in the air is either equal to or above the average. Day temperature is in defect in the inland districts of Kathiawar and Gujarat.

The Central Provinces.—Hoshangabad records 0.18" of rain and Raipur 0.25". Skies are moderately clouded. Humidity and temperature are normal.

The Konkan.—Skies are heavily clouded at Bombay and lightly clouded elsewhere. The air contains the usual amount of moisture. Temperature is normal.

The Bombay Deccan and Hyderabad.—Hyderabad records 0.12" of rain. Skies are lightly to moderately clouded. Humidity is normal or in defect. Maximum temperature is in excess at Sholapur and Bijapur.

General Remarks.—The noteworthy feature in the weather to-day is the nearly general rain on the south Coromandel Coast. Rainfall has been nearly general also in Gujarat and the extreme southern district of the United Provinces and local in Kathiawar, west Central India, and south Hyderabad, while from the Central Provinces only isolated showers are reported. On the west Coast of the Peninsula precipitation has been insignificant.

Local rain is likely in Malabar, some showers in south-east Madras, the Konkan, Gujarat, the central parts of the country and possibly the south United Provinces.

STANDARD BAROMETER READING

The following information is published in order that vessels in the Bombay Harbour may, by comparison with a standard instrument, ascertain the errors of their barometers:—

The reading of the Standard Barometer at the Colaba Observatory corrected for index error and reduced to 80 deg. F, and to the level of the tide, at 8-45 a. m., (Standard Time) on the 6th September, 1913, was 30·016 inches. For temperature corrections applicable to mercurial barometers of ships, the reading of the ship's barometer is to be increased or decreased by ·013 inch for every 5 deg., according as the temperature of the attached thermometer is respectively below or above 80 deg. F. In case of the Aneroid, no temperature correction is needed

MARKET REPORT.

REUTER'S COMMERCIAL TELEGRAMS.

LONDON, Sept. 5. BOMBAY, Sept. 6.

FINANCIAL.

	Rates.	Plus.	Minus.
2 1-2 per cent. Consols	73 5-8		unchgd
3 do. Rentes	90	1-4	
3 1-2 do. Sterling Loan	93		1-4
do. do. Gov. Securities	83 3-4		1-8
Bar Silver in London Spot	27 7-16		1-8
do. 2 months' bence	27 9-16		1-8
Bar Silver in New York	59 3-8		1-4
Exchange on London at Paris	25·25		unchgd
do. do. at Berlin	20·42		
do. do. New York	4·85 3-4		1-1-8
Discount Bank of England Rate	4 1-2	since	
do Short London Bills	17th Apl.		
3 months' sight	3 5-8		1-16
do. Indian Bank Bills 6 months' sight	4		unchgd
do. 3 months' Fine Trade Bills	4 3-8		unchgd
do. 6 months' Fine Trade Bills	4 7-8		unchgd
Interest day-to-day Loans	2 1-4		1-8
do. 7 day Market Loans	2 3-4		unchgd

Bar Gold 77·9 unchgd.
Exchange on India 30 days sight (bank buying rate) 1s. 3 29/32. Unchanged
Closing tone of silver—Quiet. Steady.

The Bombay mails of the 23rd ultimo arrived at Brindisi morning of the 4th instant.

SPECIE SHIPMENTS.

Silver to Bombay ..... £ 20,000
Gold Bar to Bombay ..... £ 100,000
Gold Coin to Bombay ..... £ 10,000

COTTON.

LIVERPOOL—

Spot Easier. Moderate biz.
Futures Quiet. Steady.
Manchester Quiet, limited enquiry.
Total Sales ... 7,000
Sold on Speculation and for Export ... 1,000
Imports ...Nil
Mid-Americans ... 7·35—05
Egyptian F. G. F. Brown...10·05 unchgd.

FUTURE DELIVERY PRICES:

Sept.-Oct.	Oct.-Nov.	Nov.-Dec.
6 91 —06	6 86 —07	6 80 —07
Dec.-Jan.	Jan.-Feb	Feb.-Mar.
6 80 —07	6 80 —07	6 81 —07
Mar.-Apl.	Apl.-May.	May-June.	June-July.
6 81 —08	6 81 —08	6 81 —08	6 78 —9

New York 11 a.m., Oct. 12·84 Jan. 12·78.
New York official noon call Oct. 12·86 Jan. 12·78.
New Orleans 10 a.m. Oct. 12·82 Jan. 12·93.

NEW YORK—

	Bales.
2 Day's Receipts at U. S. Ports	...33,000
2 „ Receipts at U. S. last year	...24,000
„ Exports to Great Britain	... 9,000
„ Exports to Continent	...Nil
„ Spot Cotton	13·00—25

Futures—Month of Oct. 12·55—40
Futures—Month of Jan. 12·50—36

Declined owing to foreign selling and to bear pressure and liquidation.

NEW ORLEANS—

Spot cotton ...12 5-8—1-16
Futures month of Oct. ...12 58—36
Futures month of Jan. ...12·55—36
Tone of Spot Cotton ...Quiet.

	Bales.
Week's Receipts at U. S. Ports	155,000
Do. Exports to Great Britain	46,000
Do. do to France & Continent.	91,000
Do. do to Japan	1,000
Stock of cotton at U. S. Ports	236,000
Do. do. at Interior Ports	124,000

LIVERPOOL COTTON STATISTICS—

	Bales.
Total Actual Exports	1,000
Do. Forwarded	63,000
Do. Imports	18,000
Do. Stocks	5,25,000
Stock of Cotton in London	4 600
Cocconada Fair Red C.I.F. London	d 5 3-8
Cocconada Ginned do do	d 5 1-2
Western Good do do	d 5 13-16

Liverpool, Sept. 5

Tone Dhoolies and Shirtings—Firm. Moderate inquiry.

Yoke Cloths Very strong Prices higher.
Weft American "54" ... 12 1-4
Weft Egyptian "80" ... 18 1-4
Tone—Yarns—Market ... Quiet.
Weft Egyptian "32" ... 12 7-8
Twist "32" W T C ... 10 5-8
Twist "32" B ... 11
Cloth Gunni's 20 36inch ... 13
Twist "36" W T C ... 10 7-8
Twist "36" B ... 11 1-4
Twist "42" ... 12 1-2
Twist American "60" ... 16 1-8
Twist Egyptian "60" ... 17 1-2
Twist Egyptian "80" ... 22
Gray shirtings 39 in. by 37 1-2 38 yds 16 by 12 8 lbs Red Heading 7 1/2
„ „ 44 in. by 39 yds 14 by 18 lbs ... 8 6 1-2
White Nainsooks 28 in. by 18 yds 16 by 13 to 16-15 Range ... 3 1
„ Mull 28 in. by 18 yds 14 by 12 Green Ends 3 3
White Shirtings 32-35 in. by 42 yds Lipmans No. 1500...Not quoted
40s Banner Mill Twist ... 11 3-8
Geo Mayall's Yarn ... 11 3-8
F. G. F. Tinnevelly Liverpool .. 6 1-2
Buyers or Sellers ...Nominal
Months ... Sept.-Oct.-

Water Twist American	30s.	10 3-4
„ „ „	40s.	12
Mule „ „	40s.	11 1-4
„ „ „	50s.	13 1-8
„ „ „	60s.	15 1-8
„ „ Egyptian	40s.	16 3-4
„ „ „	50s.	17 1-4
„ „ „	60s.	18 1-4

WHEAT.

Wheat White Delhi ...Nominal.
Wheat White Karachi ...37 1-2+1-4
Do. Months ... Sept-Oct.
Do. Name of Ports—London—Buyers.
Wheat Red Karachi ...Nominal.
Tone—Firmer.

SOUTH AMERICAN WHEAT.

Rosario Santa Fe ... No quotation.

AUSTRALIAN WHEAT

Victorian ...Unchanged.

SEEDS.

RAPESEED—

Yellow Cawnpore per 416 lbs
85 p.c. ex-ship. ...53 1-4 unchgd
Do. Months— ...Aug.-Sept.
Do. Name of Ports—Antwerp—Sellers
Yellow Gujarat, per 416 lbs.
85 p. c. ex-ship ...54 1-4 unchgd.
Do. Months— ...Aug.-Sept.
Do. Name of Ports.—Antwerp—Sellers.
Brown Cawnpore ...48 3-4 unchgd
Do. Months— ...Aug.-Sept
Do. Name of Port.—Antwerp—Sellers.
Tone—Quiet.

LINSEED—

Bombay, per 416lbs ex-ship ...49 1-4
Do. Months— ...Sept.-Oct.
Do. Name of Ports—Antwerp—Sellers.
Tone—Easier.
Linseed Calcutta ...47 3—10 1-2
Do. Months— ...Sept.-Oct.
London—Buyers—Easier.
Linseed Argentine—La Plata...46 1-2—1-4
Do Months— ...Sept-Oct.
Do Name of Ports—Antwerp—Sellers —Easier.

COTTONSEED—

Bombay Cottonseed Market ..£7-2-6+9d.
Sept.-Oct.—Hull—Done—Firmer.

MISCELLANEOUS.

COFFEE—

Fair Rio Coffee ...9 1-4 unchgd.

RUBBER

Para Rubber ...3 7 unchgd.
Sept.—Value—Quiet.

METALS—

Standard Copper G M B ... £73 3-4+1-2
Copper Braziers ... £ 87 1-2+1-2
Yellow Metal ... 7 3-8 unchgd.

FREIGHTS—

Coals:—Cardiff to Bombay—13s. 6d.—Value

SUGAR—

German Granulated Sugar C&F India (double bags) 12 7 1-2
Do. Months of Shipments...Oct.-Dec.—Sellers.
Tone—Quiet without much change in value
Hungarian Crystals Sugar C & F India ...11 3 1-4
Months of Shipments Jan.-Mar.—Sellers.
Tone—Quiet. Prices unchanged.
German Beet-root 50 p.c. ...9s. 8d.+1d.
Months of Shipments ...Sept.—Sellers.
9 2 3-4+1-4—Oct.-Dec.—Sellers.
Tone—Old crop firm. Bears Covering.
E A R & Similar Crystals C & F India ...13 4 1-2
Months of Shipments Nov.-Dec.—Sellers.
Tone—Quiet.
Mauritius Crystals C & F Bombay .. 11 3 3-4
Month of Shipments Sept.—Value.
C and F Calcutta ...11 5 1-4 Sept.—Value.
Tone Quiet but steady.
Java Sugar.—Quiet. Unchanged.

BOMBAY MARKETS.

SATURDAY EVENING.] [Sept. 6th 1913

FINANCIAL.

MONEY:—

Bank of Bom. rate since 28th Aug.		5 p.c.
Bank of Bom. „	„ 7th Aug.	4 „
Bank of Mad. „	„ 8th July	5 „

EXCHANGE:—

The market opened firm and unchanged. There has been little business doing being mail day.

We quote:—

T. T. on London Ready	...ts. 4 1-32d.
Demand Draft Mail	...ts. 4 1-16d.
Credit 3 months sight	...ts. 4 9-32d.
Do. do forward	...ts. 4 11-32d. Oct.
Do. do France Ready	171 1-4
Do. do Marks „	139 1-4
Hongkong 60 days' sight	...146 3-4
Shanghai „	...199 3-4
Japan „	...149 3-4

GOVERNMENT PAPER.—

The market opened quiet at 95 9-16 for Cash and the settlement and has declined during the day to 95 3-8.

We quote:—

Cash	... Rs.	95 6 0
1st Settlement	... „	95 6 0

BULLION.—

Yesterday bar silver in London was 1-8 lower both for ready and forward at 27 7-16 and 27 9-16. The local market opened at 69 5-8 for the first Settlement and closes unchanged.

We quote—

English Bar Gold	... Rs.	24 0 6
Australia Gold	... „	24 0 0
Sovereign Gold	... „	15 0
Silver (ex duty)		
Ready	... „	69 14 0
1st Settlement	... „	69 10 0
2nd Settlement	... „	69 12 0
Silver (cum duty)		
Ready	... „	79 4 0
1st Settlement	... „	79 0 0
2nd Settlement	... „	79 2 0

EXPORTS.

COTTON.

MARKET REPORT.—

There was a sharp decline of 36 to 40 points in the American markets yesterday. The deline is said to be due partly to fresh developments in the legislation regarding the proposed tax of 50 dollars per 100 bales on Contracts for futures in the American markets, the majority of the Senate deciding to adopt what is known as the Clarke Amendment. There is a strong feeling in cotton circles in America against the tax, which would amount to slightly over ten points per pound in New York and New Orleans on all contracts in which actual delivery of cotton is not made. It is generally believed that the proposed will not become law, but the decision of the Senate is a step towards the passing of the Act, and has consequently caused nervousness in the market. The local market opened quiet and easier with good Broach quoted Rs. 300. During the day rates have improved and Broach closes at Rs. 303. Japan Shippers have bought five Khamgaon Akola January, as also Wardha-Hinganghat and Nagpur January. A moderate business has been done. Ready cotton is steady with a fair enquiry by exporters and mills.

The following are the latest telegrams received here:—

GRUNING AND CO.—"Declined owing to a good deal of speculation cotton having been pressed for sale. Our opinion is that it is best to be out of the market at present."

TATA AND CO.—"New York market declined on fresh disquieting developments anti futures legislation."

WELD AND CO.—Liverpool: "Market opened nervous and irregular; some hedge selling; market showed very little buying power. After the opening the market improved on local operators covering shorts, and some fresh buying in consequence of the decline. During the afternoon market improved on American Straddle buying, but towards the close the market eased on local long liquidation on account of poor New York reports and some hedge selling." New York:—Heavy long liquidation caused by majority of Senate deciding to adopt the Clarke Amendment." Our Liverpool friends wire: "Market may go temporarily lower but advise buying on any further decline. We look for higher prices eventually.

A STERN AND CO.—"Market affected unfavourably by bulls reselling. South offering freely. American large operators selling. We are not confident of better prices."

QUOTATIONS:—.

OLD CROP

	Rs.	
Fine M. G. Khamgaon Akola	262-3	Sept.
Good Sawrimed Dharwar	270	do
Good M. G. Coompta	280	do
Good M. G. Westerns	282	do
Good H. G. Westerns	278	do
Good M. G. Miraj	283	do

NEW CROP.

	Rs.	
Good M. G. Broach	303-4	Mar.
Fine M. G. Wardha Hinganghat	311	Jan.
Fine M. G. Nagpur	304	„
„ „ Yeotmal	304	„
„ „ Dhamangaon	301	„
„ „ Khamgaon Akola	296	„
„ „ Amrsoti	298	„
„ „ Khandeish	280	„
F. G. „ Khandeish	269	„
Fine „ Bengal	264	„
F. G. Bengal	249	„

LIVERPOOL OPENER.—

Opening Tone	... Easy.
Estimated Sales	... 4,000
Total Imports	... 11,000

FUTURE DELIVERY PRICES:—

Sept.-Oct.	Oct.-Nov.	Nov.-Dec.
6·83 —03	6·78 —08	6 73 —07
Dec.-Jan.	Jan.-Feb.	Feb.-Mar.
6 73 —07	6·73 —07	6·74 —07
March-April.	April-May.	May-June
6·74 —07	6·74 —07	6·74 —07

SEEDS AND WHEAT.

LINSEED —

The market is quiet and easier. We quote:—

Ready	Rs. 8	1 0 B.T.
September	„ 8 12	0 B.T.
May 1914	„ 9 13	8 B.T.

RAPESEED:—

The market is quiet. We quote:—

Brown Delhi May	Rs. 8	8 0 B.T.
Brown Cawnpore	„ 7 11	0 B.T.
Yellow Cawnpore	„ 8 12	0 B.T.

GINGELLYSEED:—

Tone—Quiet but steady. We quote.—

Bold White 85p.c. Rs.	56 8	0 Dec.-Jan.
Black Kutni	Rs. 48 0	0 Jan.-Feb.

POPPYSEED:—

Tone—Quiet. We quote:—

Ready	... Rs. 11 10 0 B.T.

CASTORSEED:—

Tone—Steady. We quote:—

Ready	... Rs. 36 4 0

COTTONSEED:—

Tone—Quiet. We quote:—

Ready	... Rs. 25 8

GROUNDNUTS:—

Tone—Quiet but steady. We quote:—

New Crop Bold	Rs. 47	8 0 Jan.-Feb.

MOWRASEED—

Tone—Steady. We quote:—

Ready	... Rs. 8 1 0 B.T.

WHEAT:—

The market is quiet but steady. We quota.

White Pesi 86 p.c. ready	Rs. 5	0 0 B.T.
White Delhi Sept.	„ 5	6 6 B.T.
White Delhi May 1914	„ 5	9 3 B.T.

SHARES.

BANKS.

Bank of Bombay ...	1,665
Bank of India ...	68
Eastern Bank ...	86
Indian Specie ...	61

MILLS.

Central India S. & W. Co...	2,065
David ...	582 1-2 Octo
Faculbhai Mill	620 Octo
Kohinoor ...	780
Manockji Petit ...	3,080
New Great Eastern...	237 1-2
Standard ...	1,365
Sun Mill ...	112 1-2
Swadeshi Mills	1560

MISCELLANEOUS.

Bombay E. S. & T. C. Ord...	186
Bombay E. S. & T. C. Pre...	173
Colaba Land and Mill ...	1,482 1-2
Treacher and Co ...	500

RAILWAY.

Amritsar Patti Ry ...	140
Tapti Valley —	587 1-2

LONDON MARKETS.

[LONDON, Sept. 6.] [BOMBAY, Sept. 7.]

FINANCIAL.

	Rates.	Plus.	Minus.
2 1-2 per cent Consols	73 5-9		unchgd
3 do. Rentes	90 1-2	1-2	
3 1-2 per cent. Sterling Loan	90		unchgd
do. Govt. Securities	83 3-4		unchgd
Bar Silver in London	27 1-2	1-16	
do. 2 months' bence	27 11-16	1-3	
do. in New York	59 1-2	1-3	
Exchange on London at Paris	25·24 1-2		1-2
do. do at Berlin	20·43	01	
do do at New York	4·85 7-8	1-3	
Discount Bank of England Rate	4 1-2	since	
do. Short London Bills	17th Apl		
3 months' sight	3 5-8		unchgd
do. Indian Bank Bills 6 months' sight	4		unchgd
do. 3 months' Fine Trade Bills	4 3-8		unchgd
do. 6 months' Fine Trade Bills	4 7-8		unchgd
Interest day-to-day Loans	2 1-4		unchgd
Interest 7 day Market Loans	2 3-4		unchgd

Bar Gold ...77-8 unchgd.
Exchange on India, 30 days' sight (Bank buying rate) 1s. 3 29-32d.
Closing tone of Silver—China buying.
Amount withdrawn from the Bank of England about £ 350,000 for Egypt.

COTTON.

LIVERPOOL—

Spot ...Unchanged Ltd demand.
Futures ... Steady.
Manchester ... .
Total Sales ... 6,000 bales.
Sold on Speculation and for Export ... 300 „
Imports ... 11,000 „
Mid-Americans ...7·35 unchgd.
Egyptian F. G. F. Brown ...10 00—05

FUTURE DELIVERY PRICES:—

Sept.-Oct.	Oct.-Nov.	Nov.-Dec.
6·89 —02	6·85 —01	6 78 —02
Dec.-Jan	Jan.-Feb.	Feb.-Mar.
6 78 —03	6·79 —01	6·79 —02
Mar-Apr.	Apl.-May.	May-June.
6·80 —01	6·80 —01	6·80 —01

NEW YORK—

	Bales.
Day's Receipts at U. S. Ports ...	25,000
„ Receipts at „ last year...	25,000
„ Exports to Great Britain ..	Nil
„ Exports to Continent ...	Nil
Spot Cotton ...	12·75—25
Futures—Month of Oct.	12·61+06
Futures—Month of Jan.	12·49+01

Advanced on favourable cables and declined owing to commission house liquidation.

NEW ORLEANS—

Spot cotton ... 12 5-8 unchgd
Futures month of Oct. ... 12·58+02
Futures month of Jan. ... 12·68+03
Tone of Spot Cotton ... Quiet

LIVERPOOL WEEKLY COTTON REPORT

	Bales.
Total into Sight	.....
Egyptian Visible Supply ...	122,000
East Indian do ...	155,000
American do ...	1,075,000
Other do ...	159,000
Total Sales	46,000
East Indian sales	470
Total Speculation	4,000
Do. Exportation	1,000
East Indian Export ...	.....
Do. Indian Stock ...	1,200
Do. Forwarded Consumer ...	8.0
Do. Actual Exports ...	.....
Do. Week's Imports ...	.....
Do. Speculation	.....
Americans Afloat	70,000
East Indian	6,000
Total afloat	116,000

MANCHESTER, Sept. 6.

Grey shirting 41-42in 38 yds 16 by 15 8-11 1-2
„ „ 44in. 38 38 1-2 yds 9lbs... 9 4 1-2
White „ 40-41in. 43 yds 18 square 10 3
„ Nainsooks 43in. 19 yds 23 by 21... 7 5 1-2.

WHEAT.

Wheat White Karachi 37 1-2 unchgd.
Do. Months—Sept.-Oct.
Do. Name of Ports—London—Value.
Wheat Red Karachi ... Nominal.
Tone—Quiet.

SOUTH AMERICAN WHEAT.

Rosario Santa Fe ... Unchanged.

AUSTRALIAN WHEAT.

South Australian ... Unchanged.

SEEDS.

RAPESEED—

Yellow Cawnpore per 416 lbs.
85 p.c. ex-ship 53 1-4 unchgd.
Do. Months— ... Aug.-Sept.
Do. Name of Ports—Antwerp—Sellers
Yellow Gujarat, per 416 lbs
85 p. c. ex-ship 54 1-4 unchgd.
Do. Months ... Aug.-Sept.
Do. Name of Ports ... Antwerp—Sellers.
Brown Cawnpore 48 3-4 unchgd
Do. Months— ... Aug.-Sept.
Do. Name of Port—Antwerp—Sellers
Tone—Dull.
Tone—Quiet but steady.

LINSEED—

Bombay per 416 lbs ex-ship ...49 1-4
Do. Months— ...Sept.-Oct.
Do. Name of Ports—Antwerp—Sellers.
Tone—Quiet.
Linseed Calcutta ...47 3.
Do. Months ...Sept.-Oct.
Do. Name of Ports ... London—Value —Quiet.
Linseed Argentine—La Plata ...45 1-4
Do. Months— ...Sept.-Oct.
Do. Name of Ports—Hamburg—Sellers—

COTTONSEED—

Bombay Cottonseed Market ...£. 7-2-6
Sept.-Oct.—Hull—Value.

MISCELLANEOUS.

COFFEE—

In New York Fair Rio (No. 7 quality) ...Closed.

RUBBER—

Para Rubber ...3 7.
Sept.—Value—Firm.

SUGAR—

German granulated sugar C & F India (double bags) 12 7 1-2
Do. Months of Shipment ...Oct.-Dec.—Sellers.
Tone—Quiet.
Hungarian Crystal Sugar C & F India ...11 3 1-4
Do. Months of Shipments Jan.-Mar.—Sellers.
German Beet-root 88- p.c....9 7 1-2
Months of Shipments Sept.—Sellers.
9 2 1-4—Oct.-Dec.—Sellers.
Tone—Easy.
E A R & similar Crystals C & F India ...13 4 1-2
Months of Shipments Nov.-Dec.—Sellers.
Tone—Quiet.
Mauritius Crystal C & F Bombay ...11 4 1-2
Months of Shipments—Sept.—Value.—Quiet but steady.
Java Sugar—Quiet.—Unchanged.

GRIFFITHS' COMMERCIAL TELEGRAMS.

NEW YORK, Sept. 5.

Day's Receipts at U.S. Ports.	33,000 Bales.
Exports to Great Britain ...	10,000 do
Exports to Continent ...	.....
Spot Cotton at New York ...	12·20—5
Future Cotton at New York Oct. ...	12 55—40
Future Cotton at New York Jany. ...	12 50—36
Spot closing tone	... .
Futures closing tone ...	Quiet

General Tone Market opened:—Steady and declined on unfavorable cables, bear pressure and liquidation.

NEW ORLEANS, Sept.

Spot Cotton at New Orleans 12 5-8
Future Cotton at New Orleans—Oct. ... 12·56—36
Future Cotton at New Orleans—Jany. ... 12 55—36
Future closing tone.— ... Quiet

LIVERPOOL, Sept. 5,

COTTON.

Cotton.—The Liverpool market opened for spot— ... Steady and closed steady
Do. closed for future ... Quiet
Do. for East Indians,..... do
Total Day's sales ... 7,000 bales
Sales on spec. and export ... 1,000 do
Sales of Surats ... .
Total Day's Imports ... .

Cocconada Fair Red—Lon. C. I. F.	5 1-8
Cocconada Ginned—London C. I. F.	5 1-4
Egyptian F. G. Fair Brown ...	10·10
Good Bhownuggur ...	5 11-16d.
Good Bengal	5 3-6d.
F. G. Bengal	5 7-16d.
Fine Bengal	5 11-16d.
Good adras Westerns Ldn ...	5 10-16
F. G. F. Tinnevelly L'pool C. I. F. ...	6 Sellers
Geo. Mayalls Yarns ...	11 1-8
40's ale Twist (Bannermills)	11 1-8
Weft 54 American ...	12
Weft 80 Egyptian ...	18
Weft 32's	14 1-8
Twist 36	10 5-16
Twist 42	11 5-16
Twist American 60... ...	16 7-8
Twist Egyptian 60	19 3-8
Twist Egyptian 80	21 3-8
Tone of Fine Yarns— ...	Firm
Tone of Coarse Yarns—	do.
General Tone of Yarn Market—	do.
Mid-American at Liverpool ...	7 35—5

Cotton Daily Mid Uplands Y.E.O. Liverpool.

Sept.-Oct. ...	... 6·91—6
Oct.-Nov. ...	... 6·86—7
Nov.-Dec. ...	... 6·80 7
Dec.-Jan. ...	... 6·80—7
Jan.-Feb. ...	... 6 80—7
Feb.-Mar. ...	... 6·81—7
Mar.-Apl. ...	... 6·81—8
Apl.-May ...	... 9·81—8
May-June ...	... 6·81—8

Manchester, Sept. 5.

Manchester Piece Goods Market — Firm, considerable, demand, but business checked by higher prices and longer delivery—There is enquiry for Shirting Dhooties.

LONDON, Sept. 5.

SEEDS.

Linseed, 4 p. c. Refraction, Landed Terms (per 410 lbs). Sept Oct.—London— 47 6 Done
Linseed, Bombay exship (per 416 lbs) ...Sept.-Oct.—Antwerp — 49 9 Sellers
Linseed, La Plata ...Sept.-Oct. Antwerp— 46 „
Linseed, Tone of Market at Close—Quiet for lower prices.
Linseed Tendency of the Market— do
Linseed Oil Spot Pipes... Sept. £23-7-6
Linseed Oil Spot Pipes...Nov.-Dec. £24-15-0.
Linseed Tone of Market at Close—Quiet
Poppyseed. Canal...Sept.Oct.-Dunkirk— 65 9 Sellers.
Poppyseed Tone of Market at Close... ... ... Quiet.
Rapeseed. Calcutta Brown Canal. Sept.-Oct.—Dunkirk 48 9 „
Rapeseed. Yellow Cawnpore per 416 lbs 85 p. c. exship Sept-Oct.—Dunkirk. 53 6 „
Rapeseed. Yellow Gusarat per 416 lbs 85 p. c. exship Sept.-Oct.—Dunkirk— 54 6.
Rapeseed. Feroszpore usual bold ... ...
Do. Jamba Red... ... ...
Rapeseed. Tone of Market at Close ... ... Quiet.
Cotton Seed Bombay Parcels Sept.-Oct.—Hull— £ 7-2-6.
Cotton Tone of Market at Close... ... ... Steady.

LONDON, Sept. 5.

WHEAT.

Wheat. Choice white Karachi Sellers.
Sept-Oct.—London— 37 6 „
Wheat. F. A. Q. Red Karachi (per 492) lbs.)... Sept.-Oct London— Nominal
Wheat. Club No. 2...Sept.-Oct.-London— 37 6 „
Wheat. Choice white Delhi... Sept.-Oct.—London— Nominal „
Do. Tone of market at close... Firm
Do. South Australian Aug-Sep Nomi.
Do. Rosario Santa Fe 62 lbs... ....
Do. do Tone of Market at close ... ...
Wheat. Red Graded American per central—Oct ... 7 3
Do. Stock at U. S. Ports ... 4,200,000 bushels.

LONDON, Sept. 5.

SUGAR.

German Beetroot 88 p. c. F.O.B., Hamburg Sept. 9 3 1-4 „
German Beetroot 88 p.c.F.O.B., Hamburg... ...Oct Dec. 9 3 1-4 „
German Beetroot Closing Tone of Market ... ... Steady.
German Granulated C. and F. Calcutta (double bags) .....
German Granulated C. and F. Calcutta (double Bags). Oct.-Dec— 12 3 3-4 „
German Closing Tone Market... Steady
Austrian Crystals B. R. B. C. and F. Calcutta...Jan.-Mar— 11 11 1-4 „
Austrian Closing Tone of Market ... ... Steady.
Austrian Crystals C. I. F., Calcutta ...Sept-Oct.— ..... Do Bombay do 11 3 „
Mauritius Crystals Cal...Sept.-Oct. 11 5 1-4 Value
Do. do. Bom 11 3 3-4 „
Mauritius Closing Tone of Market ... .
E. A. R. and Similar Crystals C. and R. Calcutta (double Bags) ... ...
Do. Closing Tone of Market Steady

LONDON, Sept. 5,

JAVA SUGAR.

Java Sugar 16-18 (Average 17) Value.
C.I.F. Calcutta Sept.-Dec10 10 1-2 „
Java Sugar 16-18 (Average 17) C.I.F. Calcutta Jan.-Mar11 1 1-2 „
Java Sugar 16-18 (Average 17) Bombay or Karachi Sept.-Dec...11 „
Java Sugar 16-18 (Average 17) Jan.-March...11 3 „
Java Sugar 26 T. M. O. (or Similar) Calcutta Sept.-Dec...11 10 1-2 „
Java Sugar 26 T. M. O. (or Similar) Calcutta Jan.-March...12 1 1-2 „
Java Sugar 26 T. M. O. (or Similar) Bom. or Karachi Sept.-Dec ..12 „
Java Sugar 26 T. M. O. (or Similar) Bom or Karachi Jan.-March...12 3 „
Closing Tone of Market— Special Feature— } Steady.—Prices unchgd.

LONDON, Sept. 5.

METALS.

	£ s. d.
Copper, Standard G M B ...	73.15. 0
Copper Best English Selected ...	78 0. 0
Copper Brazers ...	87. 0 0
Copper Tone of Market— ...	Firm
Hard Spelter ...	19 0. 0
Tin Block F O B Liverpool ...	199 0 0
Yellow Metal ...	7 3-8d.
Galvd. Corrugated Sheets, 24 G. G O B 1 p. c. F O B L'pool ...	11 0. 0
Basic Steel Bars, C I F Calcutta	5 12 6
Basic Steel Rods C I F Calcutta	6 1 3
Basic Steel Hoops C I F Calcutta	6 15 0
German Steel Sheets, F O B Antwerp	6 5 0
German Steel Plate, F O B Antwerp	5 7 6
Belgium Iron Bar No 2 ...	5 0 0
Tin Plates, I C Coke 14 by 20, 112 Sheets in box C I F L'pool	0 14 3
Pig Iron No. 3 Cleveland ...	2 14 0
„ „ No. 3 Clarence F O B „ „ Middlesboro ...	2 17 0
„ „ Gartsherrie ...	3 15 0
Lead Pig English	20 17 6
Silver, Spot	27 7-16
Silver 2 months hence ...	27 5-8
Silver Tone of Market...	Quiet
Silver Special Feature	.....

LONDON, Sept. 5.

FINANCIAL.

Silver Spot „	... 27 7-16
Silver 2 months ...	... 27 5-8
„ Closing Tone of Market—	Quiet
„ Tendency, etc., of the Market	do
Rentes 3 per cent ...	... £ 89 3-4
Consols 2 1-2 per cent ...	£ 73 5-8
Indian Stock 3 1-2 p. cent...	£ 90 1-4
Sterling loan	£ 90 1-4
Govt Securities, 3 per cent ...	£ 77 1-4
Rupee Paper 3 1-2 per cent ...	£ 63 7-8
Bar Gold per oz Sh ...	... 77·9
Opening Tone of Finance Market—	Steady.
Closing Tone of Finance Market—	do
Bank of England Rate of Discount ...	... 4 1-2 p. c.
Exchange on India 30 Days Sight	... 1 3 29-32
London at Paris Fcs	... 25·25
Berlin cheques on London Mks	20·43
Newyork (Demand Bills) Dols	4·86
Nov.-Dec. ...	... 6·80 7
Dec.-Jan. ...	... 6·80—7
Jan.-Feb. ...	... 6 80—7
Feb.-Mar. ...	... 6·81—7
Mar.-Apl. ...	... 6·81—8
Apl.-May ...	... 9·81—8
May-June ...	... 6·81—8

Interest day to day loans ... 2 3-8
Interest 7 days market loans. 2 3-4
Discount Bank Bills 3 months Sight 3 5-8
Discount Bank Bills 6 months Sight 4
Fine Trade Bills 3 months ... 4 3-8
Fine Trade Bills 6 months ... 4 7-8

LONDON, Sept. 5.

SHELLAC.

Shellac TN Spot	dely.	101 Sellers
Do. TN Spot Oct.	dely.	103 Done
Do. TN Spot Dec.	dely.	104 6 „
Do. Tone of closing market for TN Spot ...		Firm

General Tone of Market—Good business one at higher prices.

LIVERPOOL, Sept. 6.

OPENING COTTON.

Days Estimated Sales ...	4,000
Tone of Market ...	Quiet.

Cotton Daly Mid Uplands G. O. C. Liverpool.

Futures.	Latest closing.	To-day's opening.
Sept.-Oct....	6·91	6·83
Oct.-Nov....	6·86	6·78
Nov.-Dec....	6·80	6·72
Dec-Jan....	6·80	6·72
Jan.-Feb....	6·80	6·72
Feb.-Mar....	6·81	6·73
Mar.-Apl. ...	6·81	6·73
April-May...	6·81	6·73
May-June...	6·81	6·73

Nearest Prices at 10-45 a.m.

NEW YORK, Sept. 6.

	Bales.
Day's Receipts at U S Ports ...	25,000
Exports to Great Britain ...	.....
Exports to Continent ...	.....
Spot Cotton at New York ...	12·75—25
Future Oct....	12·61+6
„ Jan....	12·51+1
Spot closing tone—	.....
Futures closing tone ...	.....

General Tone of Market Opened.—Steady and advanced on favourable cables, later declined owing to commission house liquidation.

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 6.

Spot Cotton at New Orleans... 12 5-8
Future Oct.... 12·58+2
„ Jan.... 12·68+3
Futures closing tone ... .

	Bales.
Total Stock at U. S. Ports ...	206,000
Total Stock at Interior Towns.	164,000
Stock in London	4,600
Weeks Exports to Japan ...	1,000
Quantity for sight from commencement of Seasons to date.	.....

LIVERPOOL, Sept. 6.

COTTON.

The Liverpool market opened for spot.—Quiet and closed Quiet.
The Liverpool market closed for futures—Steady.
The Liverpool market closed for East Indians. Steady.

Total Day's Sales ...	...	4,000 bales
Sales on Spec and export	...	300 „
Total Sales of Surats	...	.....
Total Day's Imports	...	11,000

THE WORLD OF SPORT.

RACING AT HOME.

RESULT OF PRINCE EDWARD HANDICAP.

LONDON, Sept. 6.

The result of the Prince Edward Handicap was as follows :

At Last	...	...	1
King Midas	...	...	2
Himan	...	...	3

Won by two lengths; a head between second and third.

Eight started.

The betting was :—

11 to 8 against At Last.
9 to 2 against King Midas.
100 to 12 against Himan.—Reuter.

ENGLISH CRICKETERS FOR SOUTH AFRICA.

A SPLENDID TEAM.

LONDON, Sept. 7.

An English cricket team will sail for South Africa on October 18. The team will be composed of Douglas of Essex, who will be cap ain, Bird, of Surrey, Robinson of Gloucester, the Hon. L. Tennyson, of Hampshire, also the professionals Hobbs and Strudwick, of Surrey, Rhodes and Booth, of Yorkshire, Woolley, of Kent, Mead, of Hampshire, J. W. Hearne, of Middlesex A. Relf, of Sussex and Barnes, of Staffordshire. The team is a splendid one and gives universal satisfaction —Reuter.

CRICKET AT HOME.

GENTS BEAT PLAYERS.

LONDON, Sept. 7.

In the cricket match at Scarborough, Gents beat Players by six runs.—Reuter.

THE AMERICA CUP.

HERRESHOFF BUILDING A 70-FOOTER.

NEW YORK, Sept. 6.

Mr. Herreshoff is building a 70 ft. all steel sloop as a candidate to defend the America Cup.—Reuter.

NASIK GOLF WEEK.

SEPTEMBER BRONZE MEDAL.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

NASIK, Sept. 6.

The September Bronze Medal was played for to-day under favourable conditions, although a strong wind somewhat hampered the early starters. The course was in good order although the second green was very tricky, and some very good returns were made. The winner was Begbie, who returned a card of 84 less six=78. He started with a five at the first hole, but dropped a stroke at the second, taking six. The rest of his first half was very steady, and he finished the nine holes in 40. His second half cost him 44 strokes. England put in a good round of 82, playing from scratch. He started shakily with two sixes, but soon settled down and was out in 43; He had a 59 for the last 9 holes which would have been better but for a missed putt at the 17th and a piece of bad luck at the first, where his second got into an impossible position under the small wall short of the green. The hole cost him six strokes. Adair also started shakily with six and seven and was out in 45. He came home in 38, after putting two balls out of bounds at the 17th, and finished in 83. Tennant returned an 84 nett, and with the exception of Inglis, who put in a scratch score of 87, no one else did under 90.

There was also a bogey competition for ladies, which resulted in Mrs. Inglis, scratch, and Miss MacGeorge,—5 being all square. The next best return was Miss Underhill, minus 6, with two down. The full returns are as follows :

SEPTEMBER BRONZE MEDAL.

Begbie 84-6-78, R.D. England 82-0-82; Captain H. S. Adair 83-0-83, G. F. D. Tennant 92-8-84; Inglis 87-0-87.

Duxbury 95—5—90, Wartole 109-18-9 ; Lynch-Bloss 97—5—92, Pipe 111-17-94, Russ101-6 95 ; Harrison 109-12-96, E. Coombs 10 -2-98 ; McLeod 99—0—99.

LADIES' BOGEY.—The ladies' returns were:—Mrs. Inglis (scratch) and Miss MacGeorge all square.

Miss Underhill (minus 6) 2 down.
Mrs. Harrison (minus 10) 3 down.
Mrs. Tennant (minus 10) 4 down.
Mrs. Stanley Reed (minus 6) 5 down.

THURSDAY'S MEETING.

LIST OF HORSES STRUCK OUT.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

POONA, Sept. 6.

The following horses have been struck out from next Thursday's meeting:—

THE POONA GRAND ANNUAL.—About 2 miles over 8 flights.—J P (Dead) Silverbolt, North, Devereux, Mordialloc, Monobel, Portland Lad, Beroll and Deputy.

THE GANESHKHIND PLATE—6 furlongs.—Soultline, Chobham, and Little Speed.

THE VISITORS' PLATE—1 1-4 miles —Vic's Pride, Last Call, Langton, Lord Robert, Lady R. Airman, Little Fergus and Lady Douglas,

THE LANOWLA PLATE—1 mile—Money Gold, British King, Minerva, Fayak Pasha (Dead), Principal, Hadee, The Wianer, Dhaman, Kaharaman, English Mail, Lifesaver, Dhahemsee, and G Fish II.

CRICKET.

RANGOON TEAM FOR CALCUTTA.

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.

RANGOON, Sept. 6,

The Rangoon Gymkhana Cricket Club will leave for Calcutta on December 18 or 20 and will play the Calcutta Cricket Club, Balygunge Club, and Ceylon team. If time permits they will also play the Elphistones, past and present.

BOMBAY PARSEE TEAM TO VISIT BURMA.

A Parsee team of Bombay has asked for fixtures in Burma in December, and the 13th and 14th were suggested by Bombay but the Rangoon Gymkhana Club subcommittee will arrange latter dates for the match.

MATCHES IN BOMBAY.

BOMBAY GYMKHANA "A" TEAM v. s HINDU GYMKHANA.

GYMKHANA MAKE A SMALL SCORE.

These teams met on Saturday afternoon on the Hindu Gymkhana ground, when the Hindus won easily by 81 runs. Both sides were well represented, the Bombay Gymkhana playing at least four, and the Hindus seven members, who will take part in the big fixture on Thursday. It was a fast plumb wicket and the light was good till towards the close of the game.

The Hindus batted first and put up 202 in 2 1-4 hours and then declared, leaving their opponents one and a half hours for play. The Bombay Gymkhana were all out in a little over an hour and a quarter for the meagre total of 122. No excuse can be offered, for this small score as the wicket was fast and true, for the winners Vithal (45). Mehta (46) Swami (26) and Kharwa (21) played excellent cricket, especially the first two.

For the losers Jackson and Byford, the last two batsmen, put up a splendid stand of 47. C. Stileman bowled better than he has done this year and secured 4 wickets for 60, and Joshi, the Poona trundler, obtained 7 wickets for 64. Divekar for the Hindus kept wicket excellently and is fairly sure of his place in the team this week. Baloo and Pai were absentees from the Hindu XI, and Dobbie from the Bombay Gymkhana.

Winning the toss the Hindu Gymkhana sent in Prabakher and Vithal to the bowling of Watts and Byford. Prabakher was out off the second ball he received from Watts, being caught by Byford in the slips. Sempre took his place and opened with a single. Vithal then cut Watts to the boundary. In his second over Watts nearly had Vithal caught in the slips, the ball rising just out of Colbeck's reach. A succession of singles brought the first decade up after ten minutes' play. Sempre was now missed behind the wickets off Byford, and he took advantage of this "life" by putting the ball to the leg boundary in the same over. Twenty went up with a couple of boundary hits by Vithal. In the next over Vithal put Watts three times in succession to the boundary and the next two decades went up rapidly. C. Stileman now relieved Watts, and his first ball clean bowled Sempre. (44-2-14). Mehta was next in and Vithal obtained two boundaries in succession off Stileman bringing up the half-century. Runs came at a fair pace and both batsmen were playing very confidently. With the score at 81 Vithal launched out at Stileman and missing the ball was bowled all over his wicket, (81-3-45). Vithal played excellent cricket and hit all round the wicket. His weak point seems to be a good length ball on the leg stump, and this kind of ball invariably brings about his dismissal. Shivram then partnered Mehta, and Sanderson went on to bowl in place of Byford. The century went up after an hour's play and immediately afterwards Shivram touched a rising ball from Stileman and was held by Colbeck in the slips. (101 4-4). Swami was next in and the next three decades went up in double-quick time, when Mehta cut a fast ball from Phillips into the slips where Watts secured it after it had hit him in the chest. (133-5-46) Mehta played a very good innings and should do well on Thursday. Dongre then partnered Swami and 150 soon went up, when Jackson hurt his hand and his place behind the sticks was taken by Sanderson. With the score at 153 Swami was clean bowled by an off-break by Stileman (153-6-26). Joshi was next in and with the addition of 10 runs Dongre was held behind the wickets off a fast rising ball. Khawa then partnered Joshi and started hitting at a great pace. He soon put up 21, consisting of one and three 4's before being bowled by Phillips (197-8-21). With the score at 203 a sporting declaration was made by the Hindu skipper leaving the Bombay Gym one and a half hours to make the runs.

The Bombay Gym sent in Watts and Bowes-Lyon to open their account. Watts at once let out but was caught at 19 in trying to hook a short one from Joshi (19-1-14). Bowes-Lyon was the next man and the score was taken to 40, before he was bowled by a good length ball by Joshi (40-2-6). Then started the usual rot, the next 7 wickets adding 33 to the score when Jackson was partnered by Byford. It had commenced to drizzle and both bowlers found it difficult to hold the ball. The batsmen took advantage of this and hit out at all the loose ones sent down, with the result that 47 runs were added before Jackson was bowled by Joshi for a vigorous 25. Byford was not out with 22 to his credit. He played good cricket and might with advantage have been sent in earlier (122-10-25). The match thus ended 10 minutes before time in a win for the Hindu Gymkhana by 81 runs.

HINDU GYMKHANA.

H G Prabakher, c Byford, b Watts.		0
P Vithal, b C Stileman ...	...	45
L M Sempre, b C Stileman	...	14
C V Mehta, c Watts, b Phillips...		46
P Shivram, c Colbeck, b C Stileman ...	...	4
K R Sivami, b C Stileman...	...	26
V S Dongre, c Sanderson, b Phillips. ...	...	10
S M Joshi, not out ...	...	13
H H Kharwa, b Phillips...	...	21
S R Divekar, not out ...	...	1
M H Chandarana, did not bat ...		0
Extras...	...	23
Total (for 8 wickets)	...	203

BOMBAY GYMKHANA "A" TEAM.

T A Walts, c Chandarana, b Joshi.		14
F F Stileman, b Chandarana	...	17
C Bowes-Lyon, b Joshi...	...	6
G C Phillips, l.b.w b Joshi...	...	4
E C Reid, b Joshi ...	...	5
L G Colbeck, b Joshi ...	...	4
P N D Sanderson, b Chandarana.		6
C M Rennick, b Joshi ...	...	7
C G Stileman, l.b.w b Chandarana		0
J E Jackson, b Joshi ...	...	25
W Byford, not out ...	...	22
Extras ...	...	12
Total	...	122

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

BOMBAY GYMKHANA.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Watts ...	4	0	28	1
Byford ...	9	0	44	0
C Stileman ...	15	3	60	4
Sanderson ...	3	0	7	0
Phillips ...	10	2	41	3

HINDU GYMKHANA.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Chandarana ...	15	4	46	3
Joshi ...	14·4	2	64	7

BOMBAY GYMKHANA "B" TEAM vs. MUNICIPAL C. C.

The Municipal team had their revenge on Saturday by defeating the Gymkhana "B" team by 5 wickets and 13 runs.

BOMBAY GYMKHANA "B" TEAM.

Hurlbutt, b Shete ...	...	7
Beadel, c Balsara, b Shete ...		5
Smith, c Shete, b Dadarker ...		32
Baker, b Balsara ...	...	9
Kennedy, c Diveker, b Balsara		2
Captain Rigby, b Balsara ...		3
Cass, b Shete ...	...	0
Greene, not out ...	...	4
Major Pratt, run out...	...	0
Grenchal, c Gobhai, b Balsara		0
Pennefather, c Padshah, b Shete		0
Extras ...	...	7
Total	...	69

MUNICIPALITY.

Gimi, b Beadel ...	...	12
Padshah, st Hurlbutt, b Beadel		8
Shete, b Smith ...	...	19
Peel lbw b Beadel ...		0
Forbes, b Baker ...	...	11
Balsara, not out ...	...	14
Dadarker ...	...	6
Meherhomji ...	...	did not bat
Gobhai ...	...	
Divekar ...	...	
Framji ...	...	
Extras ...	...	12
Total for (5 wickets)...		82

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

BOMBAY GYMKHANA "B" TEAM.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Baker ...	10	2	25	1
Beadel	5	3	29	3
Smith ...	5	1	16	1

MUNICIPALITY.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
M. F. Balsara ...	14	2	30	4
Shete ...	13	4	32	4
Dadarker ...	1	0	0	1

BOMBAY GYMKHANA MUD SPORTS.

The programme for the next meeting, to be held on Wednesday next at 5 30 p.m. is as follows:—Tilting at the Ring and Tent Pegging

Ladies Tilting at the Ring.

Individual Jumping Horses and Ponies. —Two classes will be formed (1) Horses, (2) Ponies, if enough entries in each class.

Musical chairs.

Scurry.

Running the Gauntlet.—Ladies' nomination. Men will ride over hurdle and ladies will throw chalked tennis balls at them. Men must wear dark coats. The one with least chalk marks will win.

THOROUGHBREDS' HIGH VALUE TO-DAY.

30,000 GUINEAS REFUSED FOR WHITE EAGLE.

The report that 30,000 guineas has been offered and refused for Mr. W. Hall Walker's White Eagle is further evidence of the increasing value of the thoroughbred. The son of Gallinule and Merry Gal during the time he was in training met with frequent reverses. In his first season he was successful four times, failing in the Champagne Stakes at Doncaster, in which he finished fourth of five. As a three-year-old he won only five of the 12 races for which he started; as a four-year-old he won thrice in ten attempts. He is giving much promise as a sire; but if he is worth the sum mentioned a not inconsiderable number of others might be named who are certainly worth as much or more. It would perhaps have been supposed that only winners of classic races—and that when such races have brought out good fields—of Ascot Cups, or of a very limited assortment of special events, would have made so high a price. That those who have gained less distinction should be thus appraised strongly emphasizes what has been said of the value of bloodstock.

The list of horses who have realized 30,000 guineas and upwards includes Prince Palatine, of whose sale for 45,000—the agreed price subject to deduction—so much has lately been heard ; Flying Fox. 37,000 guineas ; Ormonde (as a nine-year-old), Diamond Jubilee, and Cyllenge, 30,000 guineas. Jardy, second for Cicero's Derby when suffering from fever, just misses inclusion, having changed hands for £30,000 ; his one-time stable companion., Val d'Or, made £28,000. But in discussing the sums which have been paid for thoroughbreds, an all important fact to be borne in mind is that there are not a few who would find eager purchasers, if their owners were willing to sell, at prices at least equal to those recorded. It is stated that 50,000 guineas would have been paid for Bayardo if Mr. Fairie had been inclined to take it. Mr. C. E. Howard's Willonyx would have fetched little less. As for Lord Derby's Chaucer and Swynford, the Duke of Portland's William the Third—who stands at a fee of 400 guineas—Major Eustace Loder's Spearmint, or Sir John Thursby's John o' Gaunt, it may be safely assumed that 30,000 guineas would not buy any of these, nor probably Radium, Dark Donald The White Knight, Roi Herode, Lemberg, Marcovil, Your Majesty—who beat White Eagle and so can hardly be worth less—and others. A really good thoroughbred horse represents a fortune. Minoru, leased by King Edward from Mr. W. Hall Walker, has been sold during the last few days. The price, not authoritatively stated, is said to have been 20,000 guineas. He was below the average of Derby winners.

BOMBAY RUGBY TOURNAMENT.

WEST RIDINGS REGIMENT vs. POONA GYMKHANA.

The redoubtable West Ridings met the Poona Gymkhana on the Oval on Saturday and won in easy fashion by 21 points (1 goal, 1 dropped goal and 4 tries) to nil.

The West Ridings are noted for their "Rugger," and have been beaten only twice —once by the Leicesters, and once by the Madras Gymkhana, last year at Bombay. The Poona Gymkhana XV included Gordon who played for Scotland last year in two International matches.

Poona kicked off at five minutes to six and play was confined to mid-field for some time when the Ridings twice tried to rush through, but were brought up on both occasions by Johnstone. Bootlands then nearly got through but was well brought down by Gordon. Play was now transferred to the right wing, when the right wing three-quarter of the Ridings essayed a "drop" kick for goal, but the ball went wide of the uprights.

Johnstone relieved the pressure by a good punt into touch. Off-side against Poona brought the play back into their ground, and Bootlands who was unmarked went through from a throw out, and scored in the left hand corner. The try was not converted. The Ridings now pressed vigorously and a dangerous run was well stopped by Gordon who rolled his man over like a rabbit. The venue of play was now transferred to the Ridings' territory, when suddenly Rowe getting the ball from a "scrum" dodged 4 opponents and touched down, just before he was collared by Miller who spurted magnificently but was just too late. The attempt to convert the try failed. It was evident that the pace was beginning to tell on the Poona men, as they could not keep the Ridings out, and Bootlands soon got through again and although tackled managed to just get over the line. This try too went a begging. The whistle went for the interval at 6-20 with the Ridings leading by nine points to nil.

On the resumption of the game the Ridings attacked and a very fine bit of passing right along the line ended in the right winger getting over in the corner. For the fourth time the kick for goal failed. The Poona men now had a look in and Miller, the speedy right three-quarter, nearly got away, but unfortunately dropped the ball. The Ridings' halves invariably got the ball from the scrum, and more play in the loose resulted than was the case when they met the Bombay Gymkhana. Wilson of the Ridings now retired hurt, but this did not stop the aggressiveness of the soldiers. Ten minutes before time Firth touched down under the bar, and the try was converted. Poona pressed but could not get the ball into the open, and although a splendid punt found touch a long way down, they were almost immediately driven back. A persistent drizzle made things very uncomfortable and it was a relief when time was sounded after one more goal—a dropped goal—had been scored by the Ridings.

The handsome silver trophy was presented to the winners by Mrs. Moberley, and Mr. Moberley earned the gratitude of the spectators by refraining from a long speech, as the rain was soaking everyone to the bone.

WEST RIDINGS :—Back, Halstead ; three-quarters, Turner, Firth, Dennison, Rowe ; half backs, Wilson and Allison ; forwards, Lt. Scott, Lister, Widdup, Bootland, Henderson, Reynolds, Firth and Russell.

POONA GYMKHANA :—Back, Sharp; three quarter, Johnston, Gordon, Mojer, and Miller ; half backs, Powell, and Haddon : forwards, Kelly, Irwin, Floyd, Deane, Penrose, Meade, Davenport and Lake.

REFEREE :—Mr. Geddis.

HARWOOD LEAGUE.

2nd PART.

Wednesday Sept 10th—Bombay Gymkhana vs Bombay Athletic.
Thursday Sept 11th—Y M C A vs Hornets.
Friday Sept 12th—R G A vs Commercial Gymkhana.
Saturday Sept 13th—Sherwood Foresters "A" vs Bombay Gymkhana.
Monday Sept 15th—Commercial Gymkhana vs Sherwood Foresters.
Tuesday Sept 16th—Grant Medicals vs Sherwood Foresters "A."
Wednesday Sept 17th—Hornets vs All Blacks.
Thursday Sept 18th—Bombay Gymkhana vs R G A.
Friday Sept 19th—Bombay Athletic vs Y M C A.
Saturday Sept 20th—Sherwood Foresters vs Sherwood Foresters A.
Monday Sept 22nd—Grant Medicals vs Bombay Gymkhana
Tuesday Sept 23rd—Y M C A vs All Blacks.
Wednesday Sept 24th—Sherwood Foresters vs Bombay Athletic.
Thursday Sept 25th—Bombay Gymkhana vs G.I P Rly.
Friday Sept 26th—Hornets vs Grant Medicasl.
Saturday Sept 27th—Sherwood Foresters "A" vs R G A.
Monday Sept 29th—Bombay Athletic vs Commercial Gymkhana
Tuesday Sept 30th—R G A vs G.I P Rly.
Wednesday October 1st—All Blacks vs. Sherwood Foresters "A."
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BATTING HONOURS OF THE SEASON.

Two players so far have completed their 2,000 runs for the season, Hobbs, and Mead, the Hampshire batsman, and although others may accomplish the feat, the batting honours of the season have unquestionably been carried off by these two batsmen. Curiously enough, by playing a three-figure innings in mail week Hobbs equalled the number of centuries to the credit of Mead, each man having scored eight, which is more than any other player has scored. Further, his 184 was the highest innings he has played this season. Hobbs's form during August has been remarkable. In ten innings he has secored 674 runs, and has three times exceeded the century, Whatever the number of runs he obtains, however, Hobbs is always a delightful batsman to watch. He takes risks but his ability is so great that he can easily afford to do so. He seldom appears to be in difficulties, and it can certainly be said of him that he is one of the greatest and most popular of players the game has ever seen.

POONA RACES.

SECOND DAY OF FIRST MEET.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

POONA, Sept. 6.

STEWARDS.

Mr. J. L. Ainsworth, Esq., the Hon. Mr. C. H. A. Hill, C.S.I., C.I.E., I.C.S., Lt.-Col. H. M. Maxwell, Capt. H. Meynell and Dr. J. A. Turner, M.D. of the Turf Club, and Brigr.-General A. E. Aitken and Major J. G. Greig, C.I.E of the Meeting.

Stipendiary Steward, Colonel A. Young; Judge, Lt.-Col. J. S. Forbes; Starter, Mr. A O'Gorman; Clerk of Scales, Major J. H.M. Davie; Handicapper, Mr. J. Reynolds; Timekeeper, Major F. D. Hunt; Medical Officer, Captain A. F. Hamilton, M.B., I.M.S., Hon. Vety. Surgeon, Major F. Eassie, D.S.O., Secretary, Major J. E. Hughes.

The enclosures presented a brilliant spectacle to-day, the second day of the first Poona meeting. Despite the threats of the morning we had beautiful weather, and the ground had hardened up considerably since Wednesday when the faces of the jockeys, when the races finished, told their own story of the soft going.

The ladies' luncheon was particularly well attended ; indeed, it seemed that the Presidency had sent every distinguished person it possesses to the spot. Their Excellencies, Lord and Lady Willingdon, were present throughout the afternoon. We should think something very serious had come about if they were absent, such familiar figures have they become in the enclosures. A very large number of ladies turned out for the afternoon, and some wonderful costumes were to be seen.

THE RACING.

But with all these excellent conditions we did not begin our day well. The first race was the Dealers' Plate over a mile, for Arab ponies. Only four figured in the card, and of these Lookman, who shared the top weight 9st. 2lbs. with Abdul Malik, was taken out. The remaining three ran in the order in which they were listed, and a donkey's walk have it proved—four lengths and a length and a quarter. We had the pretty wretched time of 1min. 57 secs.

In the second race, the Autumn Plate we had another short field, Malmsey, Canberra and Borgie being taken out, leaving seven in the race. Pretty Good Sort, Smirk and, to some extent, Macaun and Vic's Pride were the best [illegible], but Greenhalgh's stable scored [illegible] Major Stretton's Monaleen II who scored her first brackets this season. She had run four times previously and was placed third this time. Today she paid out the conforting dividend of Rs, 68 1-2.

We came then to the Northcote Plate, for which the card give eighteen starters, and of these no fewer than sixteen went out. Once more the public was perplexed. It would be difficult to say how many were not backed to win. Castaway, Principal, Mercy, Duhallow, Occident all carried money, while a good many investments went on to Fyzabad to snip up any surprise placing that might be going. In the end we had the winner in Duhallow, but the finish was so close, and the result so long on doubt, that it appeared anybody's race. Occident was only beaten by a neck while Little King was only half a length away. The dividends were nice returns in a pretty big betting race.

Eight out of the nine listed turned out for the fourth race, H. H. the First Aga Khan's Commemoration Plate, Regent being withdrawn. Gold Fish II, better known as Aga—indeed he was hailed by the Indian crowd by his old name—but it was a near thing. There was only a head between Gold Fish and Sir Knight, the latter coming up on the post with a tremendous burst of speed, while Purity also made a desperate struggle for something better than third place. The latter, heavily backed last Wednesday, had alienated public confidence, and to-day he paid the surprisingly substantial dividend of Rs. 57 for his third place. Sir Knight, too, had disappointed backers previously and he did not receive nearly the support one would have thought, though he was pretty well backed all the same. Gold Fish II carried a lot of money, but I fancy most people would have been better satisfied if Sunspot who could do no better than fourth, had got home.

AGA KHAN'S CUP.

The biggest race of the day, H.H. the Aga Khan's Cup was in some respects the poorest, Hilarity winning most easily from Valerius by a length and a half. Hilarity had not been seen previously this season over a mile and a half ; carrying slightly more weight than she did to-day, she has been fancied and has failed on each of the three occasions on which she taken out. Very much the same applies to Valerius on the occasions he came out.

Another of the big races was the Poona Plate and again we had a surprise and the biggest of the day, for Malmsey which was least expected to win just managed to get home by a neck ahead of Hoppner who carried a pot of money on the strength of his performances in the first Division of the Summer Plate at the fifth extra. Kempion was another well-backed one and so was Polish, though not to the same extent.

Hoppner, it may be remembered, deadheated with Soultline ten years ago in this race, and put up the then best time of 1 min. 1 4-5 sec. Last year, however, Lumination, ridden on that occasion by Brown, won in exactly the same time. In 1911 Hoppner carried 7st. 7lb. and in 1912 Lumination had 8st. 5 lb. Yesterday they were both in at 8st. 10lbs. This year, Hoppner had been out once and won over five furlongs, carrying 8st. 9lb. In the same race Lumination (unplaced) carried 9st. 10lbs. and Malmsey (fourth) was given 11lb. by Hoppner. On the face of it Malmsey looked a good thing to back, and it is surprising he paid out Rs. 328.

Baloz was fancied for the Arab Pony Derby, but was never in the hunt from start to finish by Polish the latter getting the better in the weights by nine pounds and winning in a donkey's trot by four lengths.

FINANCE.

The total investments on the Totalisator are shewn below:—

RACE	WIN	PLACE
First ...	4,820	(only 3 starters)
Second ...	10,700	7,770
Third ...	7,500	8,500
Fourth ...	11,410	9,750
Fifth ...	13,820	11,590
Sixth ...	14,230	11,070
Seventh ...	14,380	10,110
Totals ...	Rs. 76,860	Rs. 58,790

Details :—

THE DEALERS' PLATE.—Rs. 2,000 to the winner, Rs 700 to the second, Rs 300 to the third. For Arab ponies 14 hands and under. (Distance—1 mile).

Mr R R S's g a h Abdul Malik, 9st 2lbs.....Brown 1
Genl Nawabzada Obaidulla Khan's b a h Singer, 8st 13lbs.....Bowley 2
Mr M Goculdas's b a h Mexico, 7st 8lbs.....Hoyt 3

Only three ran.

THE RACE:—They got away in this order, Mexico, Singer and Abdul Malik and ran so up the bend where Abdul Malik went up to Mexico and they proceeded together into the straight. There was no real racing, Abdul Malik in the end winning by four lengths, Singer beating Mexico by a length and a quarter.

TIME.—1 min. 57 secs.

TOTALISATOR:—Win, Rs. 11 1-2. No place business.

(Winner trained by Byramji Rustomji).

THE AUTUMN PLATE:—Rs 2,000 to the winner, Rs 700 to the second, Rs 300 to the third. A high weight handicap for horses which have not won a flat race value Rs 2,000, or over an aggregate. Rs 10,000. since 31st March 1911. (Distance—6 Furlongs.)

Major F C Stretton's ch e m Monaleen II, 8st 6lbs.....Ferguson 1
Mr R R S's b e m Smirk, 8st 3lbs Brown 2
Mr M Goculdas's br e m Pretty Good Sort, 9st 3lbs.....Ruiz 3
Mr W Homer's ch aus g Lord Reay 7st.....Harrison 4

ALSO RAN—Macaun, 8st 5lbs; Starborn, 7st; Vic's Pride, 6st 4lbs.

THE RACE:—The beginning of the race saw a flash in the pan by Lord Reay who led Monaleen II and Smirk to the bend. Here Monaleen II went to the front and was never afterwards headed winning easily by two lengths from Smirk who was four lengths ahead of Pretty Good Sort.

TIME:—1 min. 16 2-5 secs.

TOTALISATOR:—Win, Rs. 68 1-2; places, Rs. 18 and Rs. 14 1-2.

(Winner trained by D Greenhalgh.)

THE NORTHCOTE PLATE—Winner Rs 3,000; second, Rs 1,000; third, Rs 500. A high weight handicap for Arab ponies 14st 2lbs and under. (Distance—6 Furlongs).

Major E Fetherstonhaugh's ch a g Duhallow, 10st 10lbs, Capt Beaumont 1
Mr J Crawford's b a h Occident, 10st 6lbs.....Owner 2
Major J H M Davie's b a h Little King, 9st 2lbs.....Brown 3
Capt Martin's ch a g Nimar, 9st 10lbs, Capt Meynell 4

ALSO RAN:—Castaway, 11st 4lbs; Prince Charlie, 11st; Principal, 11st; Mahboob, 10st 11lb; Aden, 10st; 11lb, Mercy; 9st 7lbs; Munsoor Beg, 9st 3lbs; Fyzabad, 9st 2lbs; Amrood, 9st 11lb; Wait and Look 8st 13lbs; Berlin Girl, 8st; 13lbs, Nasirabad, 8st 5lbs.

THE RACE:—Aden was the first to show out of the field, he being closely followed by Little King, Duhallow and Occident in that order. After a furlong Aden was done with but Little King had maintained his position. Down the straight he, Duhallow and Occident ran almost abreast, but opposite the Lawn Duhallow came away beating Occident by a neck, Little King being half a length away third, the same distance between third and fourth.

TIME :—1 min. 26 2-5 secs.

TOTALISATOR.—Win, Rs. 66 1-2; places Rs 30 1-2 ; Rs. 35 and Rs 36 1-2.

(Winner trained privately).

THE FIRST AGA KHAN'S COMMEMORATION PLATE.—Rs 3,000 to the winner, Rs 1,000 to the second, Rs 500 to the third. For Arabs. W A reduced 12lbs. (Distance—mile and a quarter.).

Gen Nawabzada Obaidulla Khan's b a h Gold Fish II, 8st 5lbs.....Brown 1
Nawab Najif Ali Khan's b a h Sir Knight, 8st 11b.....Digby 2
Mr Lion's ch a h Purity, 8st 2lbs...Pratt 3
Mr Syed Rashid's ch a h Sunspot 8st 5lbs.....Ames 4

ALSO RAN :—Tajilmulook, 9st 10lbs ; Rozelmulook, 8st 9lbs ; Welcome, 8st 5lbs ; Young Hyderi, 6st.

THE RACE :—Sunspot followed by Welcome led the field as far as the bend where Gold Fish II overhauled him. Purity also came up and raced alongside. At the distance Welcome fell away and Gold Fish II and Purity kept up the pace till opposite the Lawn. Meanwhile Sir Knight was being ridden and when it came to the end had all but beaten Red Fish II who, however, just snatched the verdict by a head, a head between second and third, and three lengths between third and fourth.

TIME :—2 mins. 24 4-5 secs.

TOTALISATOR :—Win, Rs 20 ; places Rs 12 1-2, Rs. 21, Rs 57.

(Winner trained by R. Bence.)

THE AGA KHAN'S CUP.—A cup value £100 sterling presented by H H the Aga Sir Sultan Muhammed Shah, Aga Khan, GCSI, GCIE, and Rs, 12,000 from the Fund. Winner the cup and Rs 8,000, second, Rs 3,000 ; third, Rs 1,500. For horse W A and C. (Distance—a mile and a half.)

Mr Kelso's br e m Hilarity, 6st 3lbs, Ruiz 1
Mr Gussy's b e h Valerius, 7st 10lbs, Ferguson 2
Koer Sahib of Patiala's b aus g Gunboat, 9st 3lbs .....Southall 3
Mr R R S's b e g Mayfowl, 9st 3lbs, Brown 4

ALSO RAN :—Monsoon, 7st 10 lbs; Mil, 7st 10lbs; Keerit, 7st 10lbs; Flying Fish, 7st 6lbs.

THE RACE :—Keerit was the first to emerge followed by Monsoon with Valerius lying third. This order was maintained for about two-thirds of a mile when the field closed up and they ran together pretty well in a bunch. Then Mayfowl came out attended closely by Keerit, and Hilarity and thus they entered the straight. Down the straight Hilarity went to the front Valerins coming up second and in the end the race proved an easy one for the former who won by a length and a half from Valerius who was a length and a quarter in front of Gunboat.

TIME :—2 min. 37 4-5 sec.

TOTALISATOR:—Win, Rs 128 ; places Rs, 27 1-2, Rs. 16 and Rs 19 1-2.

(Winner trained by B. Rustomjee).

PREVIOUS WINNERS.

1904	Rifleman....	2 min 40 secs.
1905	Trenton	2 min 37 2 5 secs.
1906	Lamrock	2 min 38 secs.
1907	Bobadil	2 min 38 4-5 secs.
1908	Black Wolf ..	2 min 36 secs.
1909	Peru	2 min 40 3-5 secs.
1910	Sosana	2 min 37 1-5 secs.
1911	Hilarity	2 min 36 4-5 secs.
1912	Gunboat	2 min 38 4-5 secs.

THE POONA PLATE.—Rs. 7,000 to the winner, Rs 2,000 to the second ; Rs. 1,000 to the third. For horses W. A. and C. (Distance about 5 furlongs).

Koer Sahib of Patiala's br aus h Malmsey, 8st 11lbs.....Southall 1
Mr H Billimoria's b e g Hoppner, 8st 10lbs..... Ferguson 2
Mr R R S's b e h Kempion, 9st 3lbs Brown 3
Messrs M Goculdas's and P Mathuradas's b e m Polish, 7st 9lbs..Hoyt 4

ALSO RAN :—Ute, 9st 7lbs ; Lumination, 8st 10lbs : Dalmatia, 8st 11lb ; Kilbirnie, 8st 11b ; Borambil, 7st. 4lbs.

THE RACE :—Kempion was the first to show away from the field, and was followed by Kilbirnie the pair leading nearly to the bend. Hoppner, who then Malmsey, came up at this stage ; and passed the two leaders entering the straight Hoppner being in front, Malmsey second, and Kempion, Polish and Kilbirnie behind in that order. At the distance Malmsey and Hoppner changed places and pair made a great race for it the former just winning by a neck, Kempion being three-quarters of a length behind Hoppner, with Polish beaten for third place by a neck.

TIME :—1 min 2 3-5 secs.

TOTALISATOR—Win, Rs 328; places Rs 52, Rs 15 and Rs 19½.

(Winner trained by T. Scott.)

PREVIOUS WINNERS.

1906	Killua	1min 2 2-5secs
1907	Killua.....	1min 2secs
1908	Killua.....	1min 2 3-5secs
1909	Soultline...	1min 2secs
1910	Paul Pry...	1min 2 3-5secs
1911	Soultline..... Hoppner.....	1min 1 4-5secs
1912	Lumination.....	1min 4-5secs

THE ARAB PONY DERBY.—Rs. 3,000 to the winner, Rs. 1,000 to the second, Rs. 500 to the third. For Arab ponies 14 hands and under, which have not won a flat race value Rs. 1,500 or over previous to 1st January 1913; 14 hands to carry, 8st 12lbs W. I. (Distance—6 furlongs).

Mr R S Forage's b a h Polish, 8st 12lbs .....Brown 1
Messrs M Goculdas's and P Mathuradas's b a h Baloz, 9st 7lbs.....Ruiz 2
Mr Roberts's b a h Ream, 7st 8lbs, Mujeed 3
Mr Lion's b a h Thank You, 8st 12lbs, Pratt 4

ALSO RAN:—Master Bill, 9st 2lbs ; Raspberry, 6st 10lbs ; Beynazeer, 8st 10lbs ; Salesbury 8st 9lbs ; Bahlool, 8st 5lbs ; Kimberley, 8st 4lbs ; Red Fish, 7st 13lbs; Zaki Pasha, 7st 8lbs; Malayeb, 6st 12lbs ; Old China, 6st 11lbs.

THE RACE :—The most runaway business of the day, Polish beating Baloz by four lengths, Baloz in turn beating Ream by a length and a half, while the latter just got third's money from Thank You by a neck.

TIME :—1min. 22 3-5secs.

TOTALISATOR:—Win Rs. 81 1-2 ; places, Rs. 23 1-2, Rs. 24 1-2, Rs. 52 1-2.

(Winner trained by C. Bleach.)

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THE OLYMPIC GAMES.

THE letter in which Lords Grey, Harris, Roberts, Rothschild, Strathcona and the Duke of Westminster appealed to the British nation for £100,000 to train and send representatives to the Olympic Games at Berlin in 1916 reminds the public that the Athletes sent to Stockholm last year were unable to do justice to themselves or to their country for want of sufficient funds to prepare them. It observes that it would be better to withdraw altogether from the Olympic celebrations than to repeat the experience of last year in Sweden. Support, to be of any benefit for the selection and training of athletes for Berlin, must be ample and immediate. The plan proposed for the training process is to institute a careful search through the kingdom for athletic talent, to place trainers and coachers in every district to offer medals for proficiency at trial meetings, to organise all the efforts of leading British Associations, to specialise for the Olympic programme, and to take every measure possible for effective competition in all branches of sport. A special Committee of experienced men is formed to see to the prudent spending of the money subscribed "in accordance with the strictest amateur conditions." One of the more important ideals to be subserved by means of this sum of £100,000, is the raising of the standard of physical capacity in the British Isles. With such a purpose in view, the noble signatories hope to meet with a generous response to their invitation to the nation. The Modern Pentathlon Committee of the British Olympic Council will arrange the tests of candidates for the Berlin Games this coming autumn. Three standards will be fixed in each branch of the competitions, the first carrying three points, the second two, and the third one. A competitor must score nine points in the preliminary trial to entitle him to compete further. At annual competitions during the next three years, the standard of each class will be progressively raised. The competitions will be in duelling and in target-shooting, in swimming, in fencing, in riding singly and in a cross country race. In each of these a certain standard is already set, but the date for the tests will be announced later.

The United States are taking the Olympic Games of 1916 even more seriously than England is, perhaps because of hundreds of schools, colleges, and athletic clubs which are at all times in intense rivalry. Nearly every week there are championship meetings somewhere or other and the athlete, to do any good, must be in training all the time. At college he works at his special sport all through the terms, and does not cease even in the vacation, for he has to be fit for the summer athletic meetings for which he is eligible. In winter the clubs and colleges have indoor sports. The American athlete, therefore, ought not to require any extra preparation for the Games at Berlin. He has been trained for such trials ever since he was a child. The Athletic League works the boy steadily first on track and field where medals are given for proficiency. When old enough the youths specialise, and are divided into teams. When they reach the First Teams they may have the honor of representing their schools in championships and when they are in the higher school they are thoroughly coached and sent on to college. Thus the athletic education of the American progresses with his intellectual training. In the greater colleges coaches are provided for every branch of athletics. For instance, for sprinting there will be one coach, for middle distance running another, and so on. The college does all it can to help the collegian in the direction of his athletic energies, and he in return works hard to win distinction for his college, as he did previously for his school. It is his college "first, last, and all the time." If he be a champion, he must be ready to defend his college trophy eight, and often ten, months in the year. Consequently for American Athletes the Olympic Games should present no terrors. Nevertheless, a series of games will be held in different sections of the States a couple of months before the Berlin assembly, and the winners in these will then be pitted against each other first before the time of sailing for Europe. From the winners in this last trial the representative selection will be made. The sum required for sending the team to Berlin is all subscribed privately and generously, no Government aid being asked for.

The New York "Sun" is convinced that "the available American material is at this time so far superior to what the nations of Europe could oppose to it, that there seems no special reason for concern about 1916," but it reminds its readers that there are three years yet to run and that England, Germany, and France, "are tremendously in earnest." The French athletes who took part in the Stockholm contests returned home fervent admirers of Swedish skill and training. France had the sixth place in 1912, and then resolved to do better in 1916. But since then Frenchmen have taken up forms of sport other than those that figure in the Olympic Games—the modern revival of which is, nevertheless, largely due to the energies of a Frenchman—and being now occupied with the management of aeroplanes it is feared that the money required to train athletes for the Berlin celebrations is diverted too easily to these expensive scientific luxuries. To waste time encouraging young men to run when they might learn to fly seems probably foolish to the French public mind, and however much the country would like to see a Frenchman head the lists in a world competition, it does not seem eager to help him to get there. The organisers of the preparation for the Olympic Games look, therefore, to the Government for financial support. In 1912, £4,000 was provided from this source but the sum was totally inadequate to train the team that went to Stockholm. Now Government is asked to grant £20,000 and though this should do more, it must be used with great economy to make real preparation for the Games possible. The sporting authorities in France have so far done little towards discovering athletic talent in the Republic. One expert, Bouin, a runner, is going to America to study the system pursued there, and he will probably be training adviser to the team for Berlin. The Comite National des Sports comprises federations of the Clubs devoted to rowing, fencing, boxing, and the rest, and these federations form the Olympic Council. The different branches will, no doubt, combine and see to the training of their best members for the 1916 Games. Attention was directed in France to the appeal made to the British public for £100,000 to secure the adequate representation of Great Britain at Berlin, and was adduced as a proof of the formidable competition that will have to be met in Berlin three years hence.

INDUSTRIAL UNREST. It is a curious economic coincidence that there should be so much labour discontent in England at this time when trade is in a very flourishing condition. We are told that industrial unrest is increasing daily and that minor local troubles are frequent. The strike as a weapon of the workers is resorted to now with a frequency which was undreamt of a few years ago. But Labour's new power is often abused and just as a loaded fire-arm is dangerous in the hands of a reckless inexperienced person, so the strike weapon has become a danger to the community, owing to the liability of its use without real justification. No better examples of the unreasoning and extreme tempe of paid agitators can be quoted than those provided by the speeches made at the mass meeting of trade unionists at Hammersmith, when it was urged that there should be a public boycott of employers unless they employed Union labour. The Bakers' Union delegate even went so far as to threaten a paralysis of London's bread supply if the bakeries did not alter their attitude. To a great extent the root of the trouble is paid agitation. The workers in one trade find their conditions of working unfair and go on strike. Concessions are made to them, in most cases rightly so, and they resume the normal order of things. Then paid agitators in other unions seek to achieve similar results and try to get concessions merely to justify their positions and payment, and to do so the workers have to be stirred up and discontent fomented. Such methods cannot be too strongly condemned, and they are as unwise as they are unscrupulous. There is no desire to keep the labourer down and debar him from those privileges and comforts he has a right to expect, and the increasing recognition of these principles should be sufficient to induce a more tolerant and patient attitude. The average working man is much better off to-day than he was twenty years ago. As a matter of fact it is not he who is the cause of this increasing unrest but the paid agitator. The time must surely come when Labour will see this menace to itself and to society in its true light and will dispense with his evil services.

THE HYGROMETRIC REGULATOR. An interesting exhibit in relation to Textile Manufacture, at the Technical Institute on Friday, was an instrument at work, for recording automatically on a cylinder, the effect of atmospheric moisture on cotton in process of manufacture. It consisted of a long band of pure cotton cloth suspended overhead and fixed at one end, the other end being connected to a pencil that drew a curved line on a clockwork cylinder revolving once in 24 hours. So sensitive is the cloth that it will alter in length several times in an hour and will respond in movement to a passing shower. Although only six inches wide the band lifts a tension weight of two pounds while at work without sign of fatigue or strain. A delicate percentage balance fixed near the cylinder had a piece of the same cloth hung on it, so that the change of weight of the cotton might at once be observed and noted on an index attached to the recording instrument. The amount of moisture in the air affects to an important degree every process to which cotton is subjected; it governs to a large extent the losses in ginning and cleaning, the resistance in baling, the amount of waste in carding, and the rates of speed in spinning and weaving. A moderate excess of moisture is not prejudicial to the cotton but combined with the usual heat in a mill it has a relaxing effect on the operatives, reducing their work value. The instrument exhibited is part of an apparatus for controlling automatically the air moistening and cooling apparatus that is so necessary in Indian mills. The liberal circulation of fresh air combined with well regulated humidity is the best known means of keeping down the temperature during hot weather. This apparatus is also applicable to hospitals, military stations and large buildings in the interior where the air is hot and dry. It is the invention of Mr. J. Wallace, editor of the "Indian Textile Journal."

MAUD ALLAN. THE newspaper controversy at Home on the subject of Miss Maud Allan's projected visit to India will serve to advertise the *danseuse*, and, whether she comes to this country or not, she is not likely to suffer in consequence. Her visit was first contemplated a couple of years ago, and at that time her agents sent out preliminary notices which were published in the daily newspapers, setting forth her skill and her attractions, until a friendly hint was given to her agents to the effect that it would probably save the lady a considerable amount of disappointment and probably loss of money if, before setting forth, they ascertained whether the police authorities would permit her performances. The hint was acted upon, and the reply was one which led to a change in her plans. Since then the agents have again communicated with the police, and the latter, in the exercise of their discretion, have made it a condition of her visit that she shall omit "Salome" from her programme. That is in effect to produce "Hamlet" without Hamlet. Whether Miss Allan will deem it worth while coming under these conditions we do not know, but we imagine the public will not go to see her in such numbers as to make it worth completing her tour. It is not pleasant for English people to see their countrywomen displaying their charms before a mixed audience, and that is the chief reason for the objection to her performing in this country. On the whole we think Miss Allan would be well-advised to give up all idea of an Indian tour.

TECHNICAL INSTITUTE. LORD WILLINGDON'S visit to the Technical Institute on Friday was gratefully regarded by those interested in technical education, for in the happy little speech His Excellency addressed to those assembled, he gave them the assurance that he meant to give it his cordial and thorough encouragement and assistance in every way. His Excellency regards the institution as a monument of the splendid generosity of individuals, of the cordial assistance of the Municipality and, he might have added, of Government, for technical education received an impetus and much practical encouragement at the hands of his predecessor and his colleagues in Council. But we were glad to notice that His Excellency referred pointedly to the fact that there exists a disclination on the part of the technical student to take off his coat and really put his back into hard manual work and that he thinks it derogatory to engage in industrial work. This disclination and the accompanying desire for Government service the Governor rightly described as showing a want of courage and a want of ambition and we trust that his observations will go home to every studen and induce him not only to complete his studies but to turn the knowledge he acquires to stern practical advantage.

THE P. and O.Co's. steamer "Maloja" arrived at Plymouth on the morning of Sept 6.

Their Excellencies the Governor of Madras and Lady Pentland, accompanied by Captain Allanson, Military Secretary, and Captain Butchart, Aide-de-Camp, will be at Ganeshkhind from 11th to 15th September as guests of Their Excellencies Lord and Lady Willingdon.

AMONG the passengers who proceeded to Europe on Saturday by the P. and O. Co's. steamer "Arabia" were:—The Chief Justice of Bengal, Sir Lawrence Jenkins, K.C.I.E., Mr. Justice C. P. Beacheroft, and Mrs. Beacheroft, Mr. Justice E. E. Fletcher, Mr. Justice B K. Mullick, and Mrs. Mullick, Mr. Justice S. P. Sinha, Mr. Justice H. L. Stephen, and Mr. Justice J. G. Woodroffe.

FOREIGN AFFAIRS.

TURKEY AND ADRIANOPLE.

AUSTRIAN EMPEROR'S BIRTHDAY.

GREATER ATHENS.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

PARIS, Aug. 23.

As regards Adrianople, it is declared in Turkish circles that the Turkish attitude remains unaltered and unalterable. Diplomatic influences can have not the slightest effect in Constantinople, for the very existence of the Government is bound up with the fate of the City. So far Russia has given no sign of action, but the next move lies with her. Turkey awaits the future calmly, though there is no attempt to minimise the gravity of the situation. Six members of the deputation of inhabitants of Adrianople which is touring Europe with the object of enlisting the sympathies of the Great Powers on behalf of the retention of Adrianople by Turkey, have arrived in London. The deputation is under the leadership of Rechid Safet Bey, the other members being Dr. H. Cheref, editor of the journal, "Yeni Edirne;" Ahmed Effendi Zade, representing the Mussulman section of the population; M. Costaki Alexiades, lawyer representing the Greek Christians; M. J. Barishac, editor, representing the Jewish, and M. Hadji Abraham Papazian lawyer, the Armenian population. The deputation, which is unofficial proposes to lay the case of Adrianople before the Foreign Office. "We represent," said one of the deputation, "all sections of the population. Under Turkish rule alone can we look for complete religious tolerance, and we are therefore unanimous in our demand that Adrianople be left in Turkey's hands."

APPEAL TO GREAT BRITAIN.

The delegation from Adrianople, which arrived in London a few days ago for the purpose of laying before the British Government the case for the retention of that city by the Turks, comprises representatives of the Greek, Moslem, and Jewish residents in Adrianople. The Turkish Ambassador, who has been a frequent visitor to the Foreign Office of late, called some time in advance of the delegates (who were six in number), apparently to prepare the officials for their arrival, but his Excellency took no part in the actual representations, having left before the members of the deputation arrived. Sir Edward Grey was absent from London, and the visitors were received by Sir Louis Mallet. Sir Louis Mallet is Ambassador-designate to Constantinople, but it was not in this capacity that he saw the delegates, but in that of one of the Under-Secretaries of State.

It is understood that the reasons advanced for the retention of Adrianople by Turkey do not materially differ from those officially put forward by the Turkish Government, but that the memorialists consider personal representations may possibly have more weight, especially as they are advanced on behlaf of the citizens rather than on that of the Turkish Government. Moreover, the purport to be the representations not only of Moslems, but of other nationalities having large interests in the city, and intimate concern for its future.

Their views were laid before the Under Secretary at some length, and Sir Louis Mallet undertook to lay them in due course before Sir Edward Grey. No official information is available either as to the nature of the representations made or the spirit in which they were received.

FRANCE AND PEACE.

M. Poincare, accompanied by Madame Poincare, has, gone to his snug little country seat in Loraine for his holiday, but before enjoying the solitude of his retreat he has been received by the denizens of his native town, Bar-le-Duc with unrestrained enthusiasm. The whole town was decorated for the occasion, and at the official reception M. Poincare made one of those charming speeches which have helped to make him so popular all over France. In it he makes one slight allusion to foreign politics, and once more shows, even when speaking to his compatriots in Lorraine, how far France is from harbouring any Chauvinist designs for disturbing European peace. His references to the scenes of his childhood are touching in their simplicity. "As I proceeded a few minutes ago through the streets of my native town, decorated with flags, and saw so many faces in the crowd that seemed familiar to me, I had the illusion, as it were, of seeing again some of the fugitive figures of my earlier year. And when I threw a stolen glance at the old clock overlooking the town, which my boyhood measured my hours of class and recreation, it seemed to me as it I exchange a significant glance with an old and intimate friend who knew all my secrets and understood my silence. There is not a corner of a street where I do not seem to meet the image of some one of those who are no longer with, us, and who are sleeping not far from here in the heart of the old Lorraine country. My mind recalls our boyish games in the vast porch of our parental home, or under the chestnut tree in the yard; our lessons and tasks, watched over by someone with vigilant affection, and the auster hours spent in the class-rooms of the lycee. Then come the sombre visions of the war, the occupation of the town by foreign troops, the resignation of the inhabitants, their joy at the evacutation of the territory, and the the return of the French soldiers, the zealous resumption of our studies, and the rebirth of our country. Nowhere more than in our provinces of the east have the centuries as they passed taught the people more about the horrors of war and the blessings of peace. Nowhere has patriotism received a severer object lesson than with us, or become more trained, to adapt itself to the twofold condition of wisdom and firmness. There is none in this our province who would indulge in the sacrilegious desire of a European conflict, just as there is none of us who would hesitate to sacrifice everything to preserve to France her rank as a great Power and the independence of her action in the world. M. Barthou, the Prime Minister, came from Switzerland to be present at the ceremony, and after the reception was over a banquet was given in honour of the President at the prefecture. M. Poincare then went to his country house, a short distance from Bar-le-Duc, and he will stay there several weeks, while M. Barthou has returned to Switzerland to continue his well-earned vacation at Burgenstock.

AUSTRIAN EMPEROR AND THE KAISER.

At the banquet given at the Castle at Homburgh V. D. Hohe on the occasion of the Emperor Francis Joseph's birthday, the Emperor William proposing the toast of His Majesty said:—
Since we last met as we do every year to celebrate the birthday of His Majesty the Emperor-King Francis Joseph my faithful ally and my paternal friend, violent storms have raged over the south-east of Europe, and if the efforts to preserve the peace of Europe against all assaults have met with success, we have to thank for that, in no small measure, the great wisdom of the Emperor Francis Joseph.
As the faithful ally of Austria-Hungary, this gives us particular cause for rejoicing, and we look hopefully into the future, for the might and activity of the old and tried alliance which unites Germany with Austria-Hungary will be preserved for the benefit of the world. Animated by these sentiments, we pray the Almighty that His Majesty may be spared for many long years of benignant rule over his peoples for their well-being and for the lasting might and greatness of the Empire. "We raise our glasses to drink to the health of His Majesty the Emperor and King Francis Joseph."

The Emperor has sent the following autograph letter to the Archduke Francis Ferdinand:—"Dear Nephew,—I appoint you Inspector-General of the entire armed forces of the country. In addition to the functions which I entrusted to you in my autograph letter of March 29, 1898, I hand over to you the direction of the great manœuvres and give you full power of inspection in every branch of the service. The military department under your charge shall in future be known as the office of the Inspector-General of the forces.—(Signed) Francis Joseph.—Bad Ischl, Aug. 17."—

GERMANY AND PANAMA.

The semi-official "Norddeutsche Allgemeine Zeitung" writes:—"The invitation of the United States of America to Germany to take part in the exhibition at San Francisco has now been declined, the Government having ascertained by general inquiries that in German industrial circles there is an overwhelming feeling that participation can have no useful results. In view of the good political, commercial, and intellectual relations which exist between Germany and the United States and to the further cultivation of which the German Empire will continue to devote its efforts, the Imperial Government, which approached the question of participation in the most friendly way, did not come to its decision with a light heart. It would have been glad if, as at the time of the exhibitions at Chicago and St. Louis, it had been able to give the American Government and the American people a new proof of sympathy and friendship by accepting the invitation. On the other hand, the Government had to reckon with the reluctance of German commercial circles, a feeling which is to be traced to the general weariness in Germany of exhibitions, and there was all the less justification for opposing it, since a German display which was not truly representative of German industry and German economic life would injure the prestige of the Empire and thereby be contrary to German interests. As the San Francisco Exhibition has frequently been mentioned in connection with the opening of the Panama Canal it must again be pointed out that Germany's attitude in this historical event is not affected by the decision regarding the exhibition. The ceremonial inauguration of the new channel of communication between the nations will probably afford a fitting opportunity of showing the interest of Germany in this mighty achievement for which the world is indebted to the energy of the United States.

GREATER ATHENS.

In his report approving the Budget of the City of Athens, M. Dassios, the Nomarch, or Perfect, of Attica, devotes a section to suggestions for the development and beautifying of Athens in view of the new era now opening before Hellenism. Modern Athens has arisen without any method, and despite the manifold beauties of position, climate, sky, and classical ruins that she possesses thecity is by no means what she could be M. Dassios recommends the creation of a permanent commission charged with the task of caring for the beauty of the historic city of Pericles. He also indicates the need there is of setting a limit to the extension of the town towards the north and north-west. Athens must follow her natural trend towards the sea, he thinks, and grow towards Phalerum—3 1-2 miles away—which should speedily become the capital's second port. Already the port of Piræus, despite the considerable extensions which have been made in the course of recent years, is getting too small for the Greek commerce and marine. Phalerum, it will be remembered, was long ago the port of ancient Athens until Themistocles persuaded the citizens of the superior advantages of Piræus. In a list of other desirable public works M. Dassios includes a cathedral to replace the present inadequate edifice, and a memorial to all the Greeks who have fallen during the present ware from the murdered King to the soldier fallen on the field of battle and the victim of massacre alike. To meet these expenses the perfect proposes the creation of a special fund.

PLANTER HACKED TO DEATH.

SENTENCE IN THE AZAMGARH CASE.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

ALLAHABAD, Sept. 6.

The Sessions Judge of Azamgarh has disposed of a case, in which five persons were charged with the murder of Mr. Lawrence Barber, planter of Azamgarh, who was hacked to death while asleep.

The tragedy took place last June and one of the accused turned approver.

The judge found three of the accused guilty, and sentenced one of them to death and the other two to transportation for life. The other two were acquitted.

AN examination of Articled Clerks will be held in the Office of the Commissioner of the High Court, on Wednesday 24th, Thursday 25th, Friday 26th, and Saturday 27th, of September.

MISS MAUD ALLAN.

WILL SHE COME TO BOMBAY?

STATEMENT BY HER MANAGER.

THE OPPOSITION TO HER PROPOSED TOUR.

Will Miss Maud Allan come to Bombay? This is the question which is being asked in view of the opposition to the famous dancer's proposed tour.

As will be seen from the Reuter cables, the Home Press is strongly opposing the project, and though the basis of the objection is not given they are, without doubt, the same as urged in our editorial columns.

The police authorities make it a condition of her visit that she shall omit the "Salome" dance from her programme. Although the contract has not yet been signed, Mr Howard Edie, who is acting as her manager in India, in an interview with a *Bombay Gazette* representative stated that he thought she would come.

LONDON, Sept. 5.

The *Pall Mall Gazette* strongly endorses the objections to Miss Maud Allan's visit to India.—Reuter.

LONDON Sept 6.

The *Standard* and *Daily Mail* publish articles and letters strongly deprecating Miss Maud Allan's proposed visit to India.—Reuter.

MISS ALLAN'S PERFORMANCE

"NOTHING INCONSISTENT WITH BEST STANDARD RECITALS."

Mr. Howard Edie, who is acting as Miss Maud Allan's manager, was seen by a *Bombay Gazette* representative last evening with reference to the opposition to her visit and to the statement that her contract had not been signed. He said that, according to his information by the last mail, one of the parties who had to sign the contract had not arrived in England, but there was no doubt about Miss Allan's desire to come out.

Asked if the famous dancer would make the voyage out with a possibility of the performance being banned by the Bombay police, he replied, "Yes, I think so," adding: "Because it will be a classical recital with some of the best known artists in the world appearing with her. Nothing will be inconsistent with the highest standard of classical concert recitals. I have every reason to believe that the police will not interfere."

Questioned with reference to the strong opposition in the Home Press to Miss Allan's proposed tour, Mr Edie said that if it was stopped it would put back the clock of Indian progress in art probably a quarter of a century. The chief idea in the minds of many people was that her visit would tend to lower the prestige of Europeans in India. That attitude, in his mind, was entirely illogical and based on absolute ignorance of the truth. "I quite realise," he said, "the diplomatic, or rather official view so far as Indians are concerned. But I think it would be a moral wrong to sacrifice such an opportunity of presenting one of the finest arts the world has known and to pander to any supposed lowness of character. Rather, our duty should be to educate and uplift the public and not to give way to false prudery."

AN UNDIGNIFIED EXPRESSION.

To illustrate Miss Allan's views and the views of those who wished to see her art in India, he quoted from her latest letter to him in which she wrote, "In any announcements you may issue never make use of the expression 'barefoot dancer.' It is too undignified; we want to attract by *Art* alone."

The duty which the English owe to the Indian nation, concluded Mr. Edie, is to give that education and enlightenment of outlook which they possess and to help to bring about its development on artistic, intellectual, and material lines. Indian dancing had deteriorated during the last few centuries, and the visit of Miss Maud Allan should influence it for good.

"Do you think, fine artist as she is, that her performances will have such an immediate and rather remarkable effect?" asked our representative.

"I maintain that Miss Allan has a strong magnetic individuality and that every person of artistic temperament or otherwise possessing spiritual power must be uplifted by her performances."

MORE RAND SEDITION.

VIOLENT SPEECHES AT A LABOUR MEETING.

JOHANNESBURG, Sept. 7.

A labour meeting in Market Square, attended by several thousands, passed a resolution expressing disgust at the action of the authorities in attempting to suppress the established rights of the people to free speech. Violent speeches were delivered against the Government —Reuter.

NEW BURST OF MILITANCY.

SUFFRAGETTES SET FIRE TO DULWICH COLLEGE.

LONDON, Sept. 5.

The Suffragettes to-day set fire to Dulwich College. The Fire Brigade was however promptly on the scene with the result that the damage only amounts to £300.—Reuter.

HEAVY RAIN IN NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, Sept. 5.

The heaviest rainfall for a decade has resulted in unprecedented dislocation of traffic. The subways are three feet under water.—Reuter.

FRONTIER FIGHT.

BETWEEN TURKS & RUSSIANS.

TEN KILLED AND 28 WOUNDED.

ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 7.

Telegrams from Choi, in Persia, report fighting on the Turco-Persian frontier between a Russian detachment and Turks who advanced into Persian territory. The Turks retired after a stubborn fight lasting for four hours. The Russians lost two killed and 16 wounded, and the Turks eight killed and 12 wounded.—Reuter.

THE AISGILL DISASTER.

ADMISSIONS BY DRIVER AND FIREMAN.

LONDON, Sept. 5.

The Board of Trade Inspector has made the inquiry into the Aisgill disaster public in deference to the general demand for publicity.

The General Manager of the Midland Railway attended the inquiry in order to urge that the proceedings be fully reported. He expressed the utmost sympathy with the sufferers.

The engine-driver of the Glasgow express gave evidence that he was unable to surmount the gradient owing to the inferior quality of his coal. He believed that such stoppages were frequent. He had asked for a pilot-engine, but it was refused him.

The fireman also attributed the stoppage to the smallness of the coal.—Reuter.

LONDON, Sept. 6.

The driver of the second train gave evidence to-day at the Board of Trade enquiry. He said he was going round oiling the engine, when the critical signals were passed. He thought the distant signal before Mailerstang was "clear", but he was not quite certain. Unfortunately he did not look a second time as he usually did.

The fireman admitted that he did not tell the engine-driver that he was not watching the signals.

Both dwelt on the trouble they had in firing the engine owing to the smallness of the coal.

The Board of Trade Inspector complimented both on the straightforwardness with which they had given their evidence.

Mr. George Lindsay, the London stockbroker, who was injured in the Midland Railway disaster, has died.

Sir Arthur Douglas has also succumbed to the injuries he received. This makes the seventeenth victim —Reuter.

A FATAL EXPLOSION.

STRANGE OCCURRENCE IN A POST OFFICE.

LONDON, Sept. 6.

A sorter was killed and several men injured in the Manchester Post Office through the explosion of a parcel supposed to contain cartridges for starting races at sports.—Reuter.

JAPANESE CIVILIAN KILLED.

POSSIBLY MISTAKEN FOR SUN YAT-SEN.

LONDON, Sept. 6.

A telegram from Tokio says that Mr. Abe, the Director of the Political Bureau of the Foreign Office, was fatally stabbed last night. He was either mistaken for Sun Yat-Sen, or the attack was the result of the agitation against the Foreign Office arising out of the Nanking incidents.—Reuter.

LONDON, Sept. 5.

A telegram from Tokio says the Foreign Office will not take action with reference to the Japanese killed at Nanking pending further reports. In any case the first steps will be taken through the usual diplomatic channels. —Reuter

AUSTRALIAN TRADE WITH AMERICA.

SYDNEY, Sept. 6.

Mr. Hunter, Director of Immigration, in an interview, recommended the strengthening of Australian representation in Vancouver, San Francisco, and Chicago, in view of the placing of foodstuffs and wool on the free list and of the opening of the Panama Canal.—Reuter.

GERMAN MANŒUVRES.

BERLIN, Sept. 6.

The King of Greece, accompanied by the Queen and Crown Prince, has arrived to attend the Army manœuvres. They were welcomed by the Kaiser and the Princes and drove to Potsdam.

The chiefs of the General Staffs of Austria and Italy will also attend the manœuvres.—Reuter.

THE LONDON STRIKE.

ELECTRICIANS WILLING TO RESUME.

LONDON, Sept. 6.

The Strike Committee has declined to allow painters to complete their work at St. Mary's Hospital, Paddington, so that eighty patients have to be excluded. —Reuter.

LONDON, September 7.

Five hundred electricians employed in the Office of Works have decided, by a substantial majority, to resume work on the conditions obtaining prior to the strike.—Reuter.

RAILWAY UNREST.

LONDON, Sept. 6.

The North-Western Railway has conceded an advance of two shillings to the platelayers in the Liverpool district, who declined to perform special work like fogging.—Reuter.

SPEARED TO DEATH.

EXPLORERS KILLED BY ESQUIMAUX.

RESULT OF ASSAULT ON A NATIVE.

OTTAWA, Sept. 5.

News has been received here that Radford and Street, the American and Canadian explorers, respectively, who left Chesterfield Inlet, Hudson Bay, in 1911, to travel overland to Bathurst Inlet in the Arctic Ocean, were murdered by Esquimaux at Schultz Lake in the winter of 1912.

It appears that Radford quarrelled with a native and kicked him, whereupon the native killed Radford with his spear. Street came running to assist his companion and was speared in the back.

This is the first instance of the murder of white explorers by Esquimaux.—Reuter.

BALKAN NEGOTIATIONS.

GREEKS, TURKS AND BULGARIANS CONFERRING.

ATHENS, Sept. 5.

The Foreign Minister has left for Loutraki to submit to M. Venizelos a draft of definite Greek proposals for the renewal of the relations between Turkey and Greece. The only outstanding questions relate to wakfs and nationality. Turkey wants all State property in the conquered provinces to be recognised as wakfs, but Greece will only recognise religious establishments as such. Regarding nationality, Greece insists upon an agreement covering all Greeks resident in Turkey. Capitulations will remain as heretofore.

It is expected that all questions will be definitely settled within a fortnight. —Reuter.

IMPARTIALITY OF POWERS

LONDON, Sept. 7.

The semi-official *Norddeutsche Allgemeine Zeitung* pays a tribute to the impartiality of the Powers as contributing to the success of the Turco-Bulgarian understanding.

The paper adds that all are animated by the desire to extinguish the last spark of Turco-Bulgarian hostility.

THE TURCO-BULGARIAN CONFERENCE

CONSTANTINOPLE, Sept. 7.

The first meeting of the Turkish and Bulgarian delegates has been postponed until Monday afternoon, when the date of the real opening of business will be decided upon.—Reuter.

BULGARIA SEEKS A LOAN.

VIENNA, SEPT. 6.

It is stated that Count von Berchtold has made urgent representations to the Hungarian Government requesting it to bring pressure to bear on the Hungarian Banks in favour of Bulgaria's request for a loan of thirty million kronen, which the banks have hitherto been disinclined to entertain owing to the scarcity of money.—Reuter.

ITALY AND AUSTRIA.

IRRITATION CAUSED BY TRIESTE ORDINANCE.

ROME, Sept. 6.

It transpires that, as the result of dissatisfaction caused in Italy by the ordinance dismissing foreigners from the service of the municipality of Trieste, supposed to be chiefly directed against Italians, it is proposed that the visit of the Marquis di San Giuliano, the Foreign Minister, to Vienna be postponed.

According to the Italian Press, the Italian Ambassador in Vienna frankly told Count von Berchtold that Signor San Giuliano could not at present fulfil an engagement which would certainly irritate opinion in Italy.—Reuter.

AMERICAN COTTON MARKET.

PROPOSED TAX ON FUTURES CAUSES DEMORALISATION.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 6.

The Democratic Caucus of the Senate has agreed to an amendment to the Tariff Bill putting a tax of one-tenth of a cent per pound on all trading in cotton futures. This tax will amount to fifty dollars a hundred bales.

The action of the Caucus caused a state of semi-demoralisation on the New York cotton market, and prices broke 42 points on enormous unloading.—Reuter.

MADMAN'S ORGY OF DEATH.

THIRTEEN PERSONS KILLED AND TEN INJURED.

MUELHAUSEN-ON-ENZ, Sept. 5.

A teacher, who had been seized with madness here, set fire to four houses. When about to be arrested he shot at his would be captors, killing eight and wounding ten others. He had previously killed his wife and his four children.—Reuter.

THE PANAMA EXHIBITION.

WILL NOT ROOSEVELT BECOME A CANVASSER?

WASHINGTON, Sept. 5.

The administration is sounding Mr. Roosevelt with a view to his visiting England, France, Germany and other European countries to endeavour to induce them to take part in the San Francisco Exhibition.—Reuter.

THE DUBLIN STRIKE.

LONDON, Sept. 5.

The situation in Dublin continues to be unsatisfactory. All goods traffic by the London and North-Western Railway has been stopped, owing to the men refusing to handle the traffic.—Reuter.

THE CASE OF HARRY THAW.

COMIC SITUATION IN NEW YORK.

MR. JEROME ARRESTED FOR GAMBLING.

COATICOOK, Sept. 5.

The famous United States counsel, Mr. Jerome, who is representing New York State against Thaw, has been arrested on a charge of gambling. Thaw's lawyers disclaim all knowledge of the matter.

The arrest is generally attributed to the townspeople's ill-feeling towards Mr. Jerome. A townsman lodged the complaint.—Reuter.

LATER.

The Thaw case is at once bewildering and comical. It is stated in New York that a judge in Montreal has issued a writ of *habeas corpus* requiring the immediate production of Thaw in Montreal.

The accusation against Mr. Jerome is that he was playing a penny card game on railway premises with some journalists while awaiting the hearing of the case. He was locked in a small cell while the crowd outside made a demonstration. He was eventually bailed out in the sum of three hundred dollars.—Reuter.

ESCAPE OF Mr. JEROME.

LONDON, Sept. 7.

The United States counsel, Mr. Jerome, who is representing the New York State against Thaw, and who was arrested on a charge of gambling, has slipped quietly across the border. He failed to surrender to bail, and his counsel pleaded that he had been unvoidably detained The case was adjourned.—Reuter.

A special appeal has been addressed by the American Secretary of State, Mr. Bryani to the British Ambassador in Washington, Sir Cecil Spring-Rice, to use his good offices with the Canadian Government to secure the return of Harry Thaw to the New York State authorities.

Mr. Bryan's appeal, after setting forth the circumstances of the millionaire's escape, adds:—

This Department, while not in a position to make a request in a matter which in its present aspect is not within our extradition treaties, brings it to your notice with the view of such action as the Canadian authorities may find themselves justified in taking.

The Canadian Government is desirous of helping New York out of its predicament in every legal way. It has refused to enter into any agreement with the eminent counsel despatched by the Thaw family to Ottawa, and has intimated to New York and Washington, that the wisest course would be to leave the question of Thaw's deportation to the Canadian immigration authorities.

INCREASE IN NUMBER OF COUNSEL.

The number of Canadian counsel engaged on behalf of Thaw has been increased to eight, besides numerous assistants. Three eminent alienists with high reputations in Canada have also been enlisted in Thaw's service. They accompanied Dr. Britton Evans to Thaw's cell, and then made an examination of the prisoner's mental condition, the design of the defence being, if he falls into the clutches of the immigration authorities, to present voluminous expert opinions upholding his sanity.

The Immigration Board sits at three places—Montreal, Coaticook and Beebe Junction. One of the objects of the mission of Dr. Shurtleff, Thaw's chief counsel, to Ottawa, was to ensure that the Board shall sit at either Coaticook or Beebe Junction, which would ensure Thaw being deported at the nearest point, Vermont or New Hampshire. The governors of New Hampshire and Vermont have each despatched officers of the law to the frontier with instructions to arrest Thaw, should he be deported at either of those States.

The Lieut.-Governor of New York State (Mr. Glynn) is, on the other hand, asking that the Board shall sit at Montreal, as from that city Thaw could be deported at Rouse's Point or Plattsburg into New York State. What Thaw's lawyers are hoping, however, is that, without waiting for the Immigration Board to intervene, New York State will seek to have him extradited on a charge of conspiracy. Only a sane man, they argue, can be convicted of conspiracy Therefore such an action by the New York authorities "would go far towards legally establishing his sanity."

DOUBLE GUARD.

A message from Sherbrooke, Quebec, on Aug. 22, said:

The chief event of interest here to-day was the appearance in court of Thompson, the New York chauffeur charged with assisting Thaw, an insane man, illegally, to enter Canadian territory. Thompson was remanded. He is being defended by one of Thaw's counsel. The Thaw family proposes to assist with money and advice all five of the conspirators who helped Thaw to escape from Matteawan Asylum.

It now appears that Thaw has only his own hotheadedness to thank for his arrest. Within a few minutes of his escape, and before the motor-car in which he fled had gone a mile, he began to quarrel with his rescuers. He wished to take entire command of the journey and dictate the route to be followed. When the conspirators refused to obey his directions, he left the car and entered a train bound for Canada, where, as his wife prophesied would be the case, he promptly proceeded to proclaim his identity and boast of his escape from Matteawan.

Thaw's captors now fear that an attempt will be made to rescue him from prison. The appearance of two suspicious motor-cars and a number of "desperate-looking men" in the neighbourhood of the prison on the evening on August 21, caused the authorities to double the prison guard. It soon became known, however, that one of the motor-cars and several of the men had been engaged by Mr. Hornbeck, the New York State Sheriff, for the purpose of frustrating any attempt to escape. "Should Thaw by any trick get out of prison," said the Sheriff, "I shall be able to follow in pursuit in a motor-car as fast as any he can obtain.

Thaw has been advised by his counsel to buy property in Canada, and take steps to become a naturalised British subject. This, it was held, would prevent his deportation.

ARKANSAS FIRE.

CONFLAGRATION A MILE LONG.

DAMAGE REPORTED TO BE ENORMOUS.

HOTSPRINGS (Arkansas), Sept 6.

A great fire, a mile long and ten blocks wide, in the eastern sections of the city, has destroyed factories, hotels, residences and public buildings. Two thousand persons are homeless.

Dynamite was used to blow up buildings in the path of the fire to prevent it spreading, but this proved useless, the flames jumping from building to building. The damage is enormous.

Special police are preventing looting and troops arrive to-day to patrol the city.—Reuter.

HOME RULE.

MR. BALFOUR AND AN APPEAL TO THE COUNTRY.

LONDON, Sept. 6.

Mr. Balfour, in a speech at Haddington to-day, said the Government could appeal to the country before passing Home Rule, or it could appeal after it became law, but before it came into operation. Rumour indicated that the Government was in favour of the record course, but Mr. Balfour would not believe, until he was forced to believe, that the Government was capable of such an act of gross political immorality.

A ROYAL APPOINTMENT.

The *Liverpool Post* says that the Duke of Connaught will be the first Lord-Lieutenant of Ireland under Home Rule.—Reuter.

CANADA AND THE STATES.

REMOVAL OF RETALIATORY DUTIES.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 6.

The countervailing duty on wood pulp will be eliminated from the Tariff Bill by the Finance Committee of the Senate, which has presented amendments under which all anti-Canadian retaliatory features have been removed.—Reuter.

ACCELERATED MAILS.

SALONIKA SUGGESTED TO REPLACE BRINDISI.

LONDON, Sept. 6.

With regard to the proposals for the acceleration of the Indian mails, the *Pall Mall Gazette* says one suggestion is that the vessels shall ply to Salonika, with which rail communication will soon be improved. Meanwhile, the existing Bombay-Brindisi sailings would be continued with acceleration. It is also suggested that a connection be made with the China and Australian mails at Aden, between which port and Bombay steamers should run.—Reuter.

OIL FUEL.

LORD MURRAY OBTAINS RIGHTS IN ECUADOR.

LONDON, Sept. 6.

The *Standard* says that Lord Murray, formerly the Master of Elibank, acting on behalf of Messrs. Pearson & Co., has secured a triumph over American and Dutch rivals by obtaining a valuable concession to work oil-fields in Ecuador, in return for the building of railways, roads, etc.

The concession will probably involve the expenditure of ten millions in fifteen years.—Reuter.

BRITISH TRADE.

DECREASED EXPORT OF COTTON-GOODS.

LONDON, Sept. 6.

The decrease in the imports for August amounted to £3,683,752, while the increase in the exports was £332,008.

In the former the decreases were mostly in food and drink, tobacco and raw materials there being declines of £441,000 in wool and £429,000 in cotton.

The exports of new ships increased by £2,246,596, the largest decline being in the exports of cotton goods, *viz.* £55,000.—Reuter.

PROMOTION OF OFFICERS.

LONDON Sept. 6.

The War Office announces that, in view of the agreement with the Government of India that the War Office shall conduct a half-yearly examination of Indian officers for promotion, the dates of the examinations will be changed to April and October in order to meet the climatic conditions in India.—Reuter.

THE ILLNESS OF THE POPE.

LONDON, SEPT. 5.

The Pope passed a good night, and his temperature is normal.—Reuter.

OBITUARY.

LONDON, Sept. 6.

The death is announced of the Rev. James Orr.—Reuter.

[The Rev. James Orr had been Professor of Apologetics and Theology at the Theological College of the United Free Church at Glasgow since 1901. He was born in 1844, the son of Robert Orr, engineer. He lectured in America and took a leading part in the negotiations for union between the Free and United Presbyterian Churches.]

CAPTURE OF DIR.

SEVERE FIGHTING REPORTED.

NAWAB NOW IN A STRONG POSITION.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

ALLAHABAD, Sept. 6.

The expected fight between the forces of the Nawab of Dir and his brother, Mian Gul Jan, has taken place, the latter being defeated.

The Nawab's lashkar first of all took the village of Bibian after severe fighting, and, later, occupied Chutiatan. This opened the way to the town and the fort of Dir, and these were occupied the same night.

Unless something unexpected occurs, he should be able to hold Dir easily enough. In that case the annual reliefs of the garrison in Chitral should present no difficulties.

THE NATIONAL DEFENCE.

LARGE NAVY ESTIMATES.

LONDON, Sept. 7.

Speaking at Peckham, Dr. Macnamara said that Mr Lloyd George's finance had enabled England amply to meet the growing cost of national defence which was the first duty of the Government. It was deplorable to spend money in such a way, but we could not lay aside any portion of our armour unless other great peoples agreed to do likewise.

The Navy Estimates were a tremendous strain on the public purse, but it was far better to spend a million too much than a million too little. The latter might mean national disaster and the loss of hundreds of millions.—Reuter.

TIBET ARMS CASE.

ARREST OF A SECOND EUROPEAN.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

CALCUTTA, Sept. 6.

In connection with the case of arms smuggling to Tibet, the police yesterday arrested another European, a marine engineer, named Wyndham. He, it is alleged, used to purchase revolvers from various shops under fictitious names, and sell them to a Tibetan toohi.

The latter was tried, yesterday, before the Second Presidency Magistrate, and admitted his guilt. Orders will be passed on Monday.

MYSORE MINES ACCIDENT.

TERRIBLE OBJECT LESSON.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

BANGALORE, Sept. 6.

Dr. Smith, Chief Inspector of Mines in Mysore, has issued a preliminary report on the recent accident in the Edgar Shaft of the Mysore Mines, when 42 persons were killed. He says among other things that there was nothing whatever wrong with the brakes or clutches of the cage-winding gear, and the sudden failure of the adjusting link is one of those unforseen contingencies, which it is not possible to account for at present. On the other hand this accident must raise questions as to the mechanical soundness of the particular type of clutch employed. The occurrence affords a definite and terrible object lesson, which requires the fullest investigation. The accident was a most unusual one, and its repetition need not be apprehended. There is no obvious defect, which requires immediate correction.

CAWNPORE RIOT CASES.

ACCUSED COMMITTED TO THE SESSIONS.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

CAWNPORE, Sept. 6.

The Court sat at noon to-day.

Syed Nabi Ullah, barrister-at-law, Lucknow, was present on behalf of the accused. The defence filed a list of witnesses on behalf of the accused. In the cases of the four injured accused, a list of 37 defence witnesses was put in, while in the case of Moulvi Abdul Cadir Azad Subhani, who is charged with making a seditious speech, a list of 205 witnesses has been furnished. The witnesses, it is alleged, heard the speech in question. Counsel for the defence intimated that the case of Azad Subhani was likely to last from ten to fifteen days.

The magistrate then said that he had passed formal orders committing the accused to the Sessions Court.

The Court enquired of Mr. Boys what was to be done in the case of those accused whom the police reported to be absconding.

Mr. Boys replied that he understood that warrants were out against them, and he had no other instructions regarding them.

This brought the hearing for the day to a conclusion.

THE HISSAR TRAGEDY.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LAHORE, Sept. 6.

Regarding the murder of Khan Saheb Ulfat Hussain, Deputy Superintendent of Police, Hissar, later information states that he was shot, while presiding at a majlis in connection with Ramzan in the compound of his house. The constable, who murdered him, subsequently committed suicide, his body being found in a garden half a mile from the scene of the tragedy.

Gas is now in use in Bombay for gold melting, soap boiling, brazing and every conceivable purpose for which heat and power are required, since it is found the heat can be regulated to a nicety, impossible with solid fuel.

THE SERVICES IN INDIA.

SEPARATION OF FUNCTIONS.

A FURTHER REPRESENTATION TO GOVERNMENT.

Under the auspices of the Bombay Presidency Association, a public meeting of the inhabitants of Bombay was held in the Hall of the Framji Cowasji Institute on Saturday evening for the purpose of making a further representation to the Government of India on the question of the separation of the Judicial branch of His Majesty's Service from the Executive branch, also on the recent developments touching Indians in South Africa.

The Hon. Sir Phiroz[illegible]sh Mehta was called to the chair.

THE CHAIRMAN'S SPEECH.

The chairman, in his address, said that without any preface or introduction, he would confine his remarks strictly to the two resolutions which would be submitted before the meeting He would first speak on the question of the separation of the Judicial and Executive Departments of Government. Sir Guy Fleetwood Wilson, the popular Finance Member of his Excellency the Viceroy's Council, who had just retired had, in the course of two memorable speeches, advised the Indians that while laying before the Government their grievances in connection with any question, they should be patient. They all unanimously accepted that advice but there must be some limit to their patience. The people had been patient for more than a century. The Indian nation had acted upon the advice of Sir Grey Fleetwood Wilson and had shown patience for a very long time, but they had not been able to see any good results. Then an Anglo-Indian Association had come forward and informed the Government that those who agitated in the matter had not laid before the Government any practical scheme or suggestions. But Sir Phirozeshah would point out that this question had been under agitation since 1793, in the time of Lord Cornwallis. And since then, the chairman continued, many an Anglo-Indian official and well-known men had raised their voices against it. They had carried on a most admirable agitation for introducing such reforms as would enable the work of dealing out justice to be absolutely pure Not only the honourable judges of the Presidency alone, but those of the whole of India had expressed their opinions in favour of this reform.

MONSTER MEMORIAL IN 1891.

In 1891, a monster memorial was forwarded to the Secretary of State for India, and amongst the memorialists were great politicians and the best of lawyers. Amongst the signatories were Lord Hobhouse, Sir William Wedderburn, Sir J. Reynolds, Sir Richard Garth, Sir Charles Sirjeant, and Sir Richard Couch, all of whom had expressed their views in favour of this reform. Perhaps the Anglo-Indian Defence Association, after hearing those names would change their opinion about the memorialists not being competent to enter into the question so far as its merits were concerned. The Association did not know that many years ago a practical proposal was drawn up by Sir Romesh Chandra Dutt, and submitted for the consideration of the Government of India. After that, in 1899, Sir Pherozeshahsaid that he himself had submitted a practical scheme in the Legislative Council and had pointed out how best this reform could be introduced. All the former Secretaries of State had admitted the desirability of accepting the proposed reform, but they said that the question of expenditure was in the way. But Sir Pherozeshah declined to accept that any extra expenditure would be necessary for the introduction of this reform. And when that was pointed out, it was urged that the executive officers without any magesterial powers would be powerless. But that was only an imaginary fear, because the Land Revenue Code and other codes gave them sufficient power. He thought that was an excuse put forward by those who, having the power once, did not like to let it go.

They were promised that a trial would be given to this proposal, but it had not been given and recently, in the Supreme Council when Sir Vidhava Raghavacharya wished to know definetely from Sir Reginald Craddock, the reply was evasive. The chairman reminded his hearers of one memorable event in the Viceregal Council where Babu Surendranath Bannerji had moved a resolution for the separation of the Judicial and Executive branches of the Service. On that occasion, every non-official member, elected or nominated had, without exception, voted in favour of the resolution.

INDIANS IN SOUTH AFRICA.

With regard to the recent developments touching the condition of Indians in South Africa, Sir Phirozeshah said that it was with reluctance that he had to speak on a subject which had excited the feelings of all the communities and sections in this country. British Indians should enjoy the same rights and previleges all over the British Empire and Dominions. But the last Immigration Bill refused them those rights. He said that wise men must remember that it was not a good policy to keep the doors open in Asia and close them elsewhere.

He then called upon Mr. G. K. Parekh to move the first resolution.

MOTION FOR A FURTHER REPRESENTATION.

Mr. Parekh, in moving the first resolution to make a further representation to the Government of India on the questions of the separation of the Judicial branch of His Majesty's service from the Executive branch, said that it was a much needed reform. They had full confidence in the justice that was dealt out at present but a judicial officer should be above any suspicion at all. An executive officer was compelled to go on tour and the parties had to follow him wherever he went and hold the judicial inquiry. Again, the Mamlatdars had to see that the Government revenue was increased. How then was it possible for him to satisfy parties who came before him for justice? He suggested that the Mamlatdars' work

might be entrusted to the subordinate judges, who were tried during the time of famine and had given ample satisfaction while trying criminal cases. The Government should at least give a trial to the proposed reform.

Mr. N. V. Gokhale, in seconding the resolution, said that the whole of the educated class of this country was anxious for this reform and they dhad been constantly asking Government to grant their request

Mr. H. P. Mody, in supporting the resolution, remarked that, on principle, the present system was faulty. It was not possible for the man who arrested the thief to try him impartially too. The best of men having supported their last memorial, it was hoped that the reform would be introduced soon. But as nothing had been done, in spite of repeated requests and promises, they must now send in a farther representation.

The Hon. Mr. Lalubhoy Samaldas, and Mr. Samarth having supported the resolution, it was carried with acclamation.

The chairman remarked that if any suggestion was necessary as to where the reform should be tried as an experimental measure, he thought that the Bombay Presidency would be the best part of the country for it.

SOUTH AFRICAN IMMIGRATION BILL.

Sir Bhalchandra Krishna moved the second resolution drawing the attention of the Secretary of State for India and the Governor-General in Council to the effect produced on the feelings of the people of India by the passing of the Immigration Bill by the Government of South Africa. Much had been said in the past on that subject. The Indians in South Africa were subjected to greater hardship and insult at present of which a graphic description could be found in "Young India." The Secretary of State for India had himself expressed that His Majesty would approve of any measure that was likly to improve the condition of Indians in South Africa. The Hon. Mr. Gokhale had gone to South Africa to confer with the Government there and find a practical solution of the question. The Government there had promised to reduce the hardship which the Indians had to suffer, but the promise was not kept and the Bill was passed in one day.

Mr. Daji Abaji Khare seconded the proposition and said that as subjects of His Majesty King George the Indians were entitled to the same rights as any other of his Majesty's subjects. Canada, Australia and Mauritius were now following the example of South Africa and treating the Indians with indignity.

On the motion of Sir Vithaldas D. Thackersey it was resolved to authorise the chairman to forward the resolutions to the Government of India.

On the motion of Sir Ibrahim Rahimtulla a vote of thanks was passed to the Chairman and the proceedings terminated.

DEMAND FOR RICE.

A RESULT OF THE RECENT FLOODS.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT)

RANGOON, Sept. 7.

In consequence of the recent floods in India, the demand for white rice is still continued from Calcutta and Chittagong, particularly of the large and small mills quality. September and rates are Rr. 337 to Rs. 340 for special. Straits from small millers, and Rs. 327-8 to Rs. 330 from large millers for September, and Rs. 327-8 to Rs. 330 for October.

A brisk demand in freights for Calcutta and Chittagong continues, while Bombay, Madras and the Straits are also receiving more attention from shippers for Java. There is nothing doing in the meantime. Rates for Calcutta are As. 5 per ton, subject to rebate, and Bombay Rs. 9-8.

IMPERIAL COUNCIL.

BUSINESS FOR NEXT SESSION.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

SIMLA Sept, 7.

The following is the list of business to be brought forward at the meeting of the Imperial Legislative Council on September 9:—

The following members to take the prescribed oath of allegiance to the Crown: Mr. John Harold Abbott, Surgeon-General Aylmer Martin Crofts, Mr. Reginald Pemberton Russell, Mr. John Henry Kerr, Mr. James Bennett Bramyate.

The Hon. Sir Edward Maclagan to lay on the table the rules and orders issued by local Governments and administrations on the subject of the exemption of agricultural improvement from enhancement of assessment, which were promised in the reply given to the question put by the Hon. Raja Kushalpal Sigh at the meeting of the Legislative Council, held on March 17, 1913.

The Hon. Mr. Clark to lay on the table a statment showing the number of shops for the sale of excisable articles in the different provinces of India which were closed on the recommendation of local advisory committees during each of the three years 1910-11, 1911-12 and 1912-13, which was promised in the reply given to the question put by the Hon. Mr. Rangaiengar at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on March 18, 1913.

Legislative Business: the Hon. Mr. Syed Ali Imam will introduce a Bill to amend certain enactments and to repeal certain other enactments. He will also introduce a Bill further to amend the Code of Civil Proceduce, 1908.

The Hon. Sir Harcourt Butler will introduce a Bill to modify and add to the provision of the Copyright Act, 1911.

The Hon. Sir Reginald Craddock will introduce a Bill to amend the Provincial Small Cause Court Act, 1887.

The Hon. Sir Edward Maclagan will introduce a Bill to prevent the introduction into British India of any insect-fungus or other pest which is or may be destructive to crops.

RECENT DACOITIES.

MORE HOUSE SEARCHES.

CALCUTTA, Sept. 7.

In connection with the political dacoity at Kaderpur, in the Mymensing district, searches were made yesterday in the house of a muktear and the headmaster of the Manikgunj schools. Some letters and registers were seized.

The accused arrested in connection with the Kawakuri dacoity, in Madaripur, have been released on bail.

BENGAL CONGRESS.

OBJECTION TO COMMUNAL ELECTORATES.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT)

CALCUTTA, Sept. 6.

The Bengal Provincial Congress Committee has passed the following resolution:— That the Bengal Provincial Congress Committee strongly deprecates the introduction of special communal electorates for the election of commissioners to the Calcutta Municipal Corporation as outlined in the resolution of the Goverment of Bengal, dated July 21. In the opinion of the Committee, the measures are quite uncalled for and reactionary in character, and it apprehends that the extension of the principle of communal representation to the municipalities and district boards will introduce lines of cleavage between the different communities in the everyday affairs of civil life, and thus accentuate the mischief, which has already been wrought on the country, by regulations in regard to the election of members to the Legislative Councils under the India Councils Act of 1909.

RIVER DAMODAR RISING.

FEAR OF MORE FLOODS CAUSES PANIC.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

CALCUTTA, Sept. 6.

Information reached Calcutta yesterday that the Damodar river, which was the cause of the recent floods in Bengal, is rising again. It is reported that the water has arrived as far as mile 2 on the Bengal Provincial Railway, and has washed away the line near Kanadi, which was only lately repaired, causing a panic among the people in the neighbouring country.

MOSLEM MISSION TO ENGLAND.

TWO LEADERS SAIL FROM BOMBAY.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT)

Among the passengers, who left by Saturday's mail steamer, the "Arabia", were two well-known Mahomedan leaders, viz., Mr. Syed Wazir Hasan, Honorary Secretary of the All India Moslem League, and Mr. Mohamed Ali, editor of *The Comrade* of Delhi. Messrs. Hasan and Mohamed Ali made the following statement with regard to their sudden departure for England:—

"Events of great moment and of a far-reaching character vitally affecting Mussalmans have been taking place in rapid succession during the last two or three years, both in Indin and abroad, and it appears to our friends, as it appears to ourselves also, that a right understanding of the Moslem point of view is absolutely necessary in the interests of the Government no less than in the interests of the Mussalmans themselves. Our friends have, therefore, advised us, and we agree with them, that at the present juncture it is necessary for us to go to England for the purpose of explaining the Indian Moslems' point of view, and the salient features of the true Moslem situation in India and abroad to his Majesty's ministers, the members of Parliament and other influential men in Great Britain as well as the British nation at large through the important organs of the Press and by other suitable means, and to convince them of the essential loyalty of of the Moslem community to His Majesty's throne and person and of the justice of the Moslem claims.

Two of our eminent co-religionists, Mr, Jinnah and Khwaja Kamaluddin, are already in England, and we look forward with hope to their hearty co-operation. Of course, His Highness the Aga Khan is also in Europe, and we are confident of obtaining every encouragement and assistance from hfm. But the object of our journey is by no means sectarian or exclusively communal. We firmly believe that the progress and well-being of the Musalmans are bound up with the progress and well-being of the country in which they live. The present carries in its womb the hopes and fears common to every community in India, and we shall be failing in our duty not only as Indians but as Mussalmans also if we do not strive during our sojourn in England to convert our fears into hopes and to materialize the hopes which we share with all our fellow countrymen. The Hon'ble Mr. Gokhale is also in England at the present moment, and we hope to secure his sympathy and co-operation.

This is the mission on which we are to-day setting out, as fully conscious of its necessity and beneficence as of the great responsibility of our position. But we are also full of hope and of confidence in the goodness of our cause and in the desire as well as the ability of the great British nation to do us justice. Time has been a dominating consideration with us, and our departure has perforce been almost precipitate. In fact, we had even less than a week in which to make arrangements for our journey and to reach Bombay, and under the circumstances it has not been possible for us to apprise our people of our intention. But, nevertheless, we are confident that our action will commend itself to them, and that their trust will go with us. We earnestly beg them to remember us in their daily prayers. God willing, we shall return to them full of success, as we leave them full of hope and confidence."

CHOLERA AT MIDNAPUR.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT)

CALCUTTA, Sept. 6.

A violent type of cholera is raging in the Municipal areas of the town of Midnapur.

POLITICAL DACOITY.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

CALCUTTA, Sept. 6.

Mobendrachandar Kar, a pleader's clerk, at Manikganj has been arrested at Manikganj in connection with the Kedarpur political dacoity.

LUCKNOW TRAIN MURDER.

MISS MURPHY A MEDICAL STUDENT.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LUCKNOW, Sept. 6.

Miss Murphy, whose murder in a train has been reported, was a niece of Mr. Lyons, Principal of the Industrial School at Gorakhpur. She was on her way to Lucknow to resume and to complete a course of study, preparatory to a medical course at Lucknow Medical College. She had intended leaving Gorakhpur the evening previous to that on which she met her fate in company with Miss Maya Das, an Indian lady teacher of Thoburn College. She evipently missed the train that evening, and Miss Maya Das proceeded without her.

ALLEGED FORGED PAY-BILL.

ALLAHABAD, Sept. 6.

The Sessions Judge of Allahabad is trying a case in which Babu Prag Nath, a clerk in the Accountant-General's Office, is charged with attempting to cheat the Government by having a bogus cheque, prepared for the pay of a gazetted judicial officer, and trying to get it signed by the Assistant Accountant-General, and with using as genuine a forged pay-bill.

It is alleged that the accused got the pay-bill and cheque prepared and after forging the name of the payee and the initials of Mr. Jones, Assistant Accountant-General, sent the papers in to the latter officer for signature. Mr. Jones, however, refused to sign it as he did not recollect passing the bill. This led to an enquiry and the prosecution of the accused, who denies the charges.

The case is proceeding.

MARCKS AND CO. LTD.

The twenty-eighth annual general meeting of the shareholders of Messrs. Marcks and Co. was held at the Company's premises at Bombay on Saturday afternoon, with Mr. G. C. Pliustone in the chair.

The report from which the following are extracts was read and adopted by the meeting:—

The Directors have pleasure in submitting the twenty-eighth balance-sheet and statement of profit and loss showing the result of the Company's operations for the fourteen months ending April 30.

TheCompany's financial year has hitherto ended on February 28, but the inconvenience annually experienced in taking stock during the busiest period of the Bombay selling season led your Directors this year to advance the time to April 30, which date will in future terminate the Company's financial year.

The amount available for distribution including the balance from the last account, is Rs. 46,203-7, and your Directors recommend that it should be distributed as follows:—dividend at Rs 10 per share, free of income tax Rs. 40,000; depreciation of furniture fixtures, and workmen's tools Rs. 1,500; balance to be carried to next year Rs. 4,703-7; total Rs. 46,203-7.

The dividend, after it is passed by the shareholders, will be paid on and after Thursday, September 18.

Mr. R. Kennedy, one of the Directors who is on leave at present, retires by rotation, but offers himself for re-election. Mr. F. L. McAfee, the Company's Auditor also retires from office, but is eligible for re-election.

Mr. R. Kennedy and Mr. F. L. McAfee, were then re-elected as Director and Auditor respectively.

A bonus of Rs. 4,000 was sanctioned to be paid to the staff.

A vote of thanks to the chairman terminated the proceedings.

CHINA AND OPIUM.

MANIFESTO FROM GENERAL CHANG.

Lieut.-Gen Chang, who left England on Aug. 15 after a three months' visit as delegate from the National Opium Prohibition Union of China, has issued a statement, in the course of which he says that during the past three months he has had personal interviews with the Marquess of Crewe and Sir E. Grey and over 260 members of Parliament of all parties, and has addressed public meetings in London, Edinburgh, Liverpool, Leeds, Manchester, Birmingham, Bradford, and Newcastle. He summarises the position as follow:—

1 "In China our opium prohibition is not yet totally done, but the Government is always doing, its best to suppress this evil."

2. "We have reduced our native production by eighty or ninety per cent., but we need to continue our own work, which the British Government declares it would like to assist us to accomplish."

3. "China's difficulties in carrying out this reform are greatly increased by England's policy in forcing Indian opium upon us, and the present stocks at our treaty ports will, if allowed to remain there, create countless troubles between the Chinese officials and English merchants."

4. "Opium prohibition in China is being enforced more strictly every day, and though the merchants who hold the present stocks will by and by complain as their opium becomes unsaleable, China must still continue to suppress without any hesitation the evil of opium smoking.

5. "The removal of the stocks is the best way to avoid unfortunate incidents, and would be the best proof that the British Government is really willing to help China in this reform."

6. "China has in any case great difficulties of her own to meet, but we cannot believe that Britain desires to add to our difficulties by compelling us to take the accumulated stocks."

7. "It may be said that Britain is not going to send any more opium from India to China. I would like to say in reply that the people in China cannot see any difference between the opium imported directly from India and that from the treaty ports. So long as they see that foreign opium is allowed to be imported they say. Why is it that our Government does not protect our own home producers, but, on the contrary, confiscates our farmers' lands, destroys their profits, and even kills them in order to give foreign meachants the monopoly to enable them to get tremendous profits from us?"

"Our people," he proceeds "are in deadly earnest to get rid of this evil. No one in China who smokes opium can vote or become a public official. They cannot held feeling resentment against the country which is forcing upon us the very article by which we are degraded and disgraced. Such conditions are indeed intolerable when we reflect that we are sacrificing millions of revenue and hundreds of lives and struggling against enormous difficulties, and that a foreign country forces us to receive the poison which we are so earnestly endeavouring to stamp out."

THE SENATE MEETING.

POST-GRADUATE STUDIES.

A meeting of the Senate of the Bombay University was held on Saturday evening, in the University Hall, with Dr. T. B. Nariman in the chair.

The question for consideration was the scheme prepared by the Syndicate for the development of University post-graduate studies. The present scheme was formulated with reference to the utilisation of the Imperial non-recurring grant of three lakhs and the recurring grant of Rs. 45,000; and also with reference to other grants to the University by the Government of India. The Syndicate, after correspondence with the Government of India, thought that the University required three kinds of teachers: (1) Professors of high distinction, occupying permanent appointments to which high emoluments are attached. The function of these professors would be principally to organise and carry out research, to train students in the work of research, and to give lectures in which the professors not only would teach students, but would give to the public indications of the results of their work. They will, besides, be the expert advisers of the University in all matters connected with each one's special subject. (2) Readers to deliver special courses of lectures on the special branches of learning in which they are interested, with a view to the assistance of students entering upon research work or conducting special studies. These lecturers would be selected from distinguished scholars in Europe. (3) A scheme of lectures which will cover at least the more difficult portions of several branches into which the M. A. course is divided, and to provide some supervision of the studies of M. A. students. These lectures would be drawn in the main, but not wholly, from the staffs of the colleges of this Presidency.

In the current year, it is proposed that an attempt should be made to bring into operation only the second and third parts of the schemes. With the limited fund at the University's disposal, and with the object of not undertaking more than could be well done, the Syndicate recommended that it shall, to begin with, concentrate its post-graduate energies on a small number of branches of study only. They, therefore, recommended that the post-graduate courses to be undertaken by the readers and lecturers be limited for the present to the following four subjects: (1) Oriental Classical Languages, preference being given to Sanskrit and Persian. (2) General Modern History and Indian History. (3) Sociology and Economics and (4) Philosophy.

DISCUSSION ON THE SCHEME.

The scheme came on for discussion at the last meeting, and Principal Covernton moved the adoption of the Syndicate's scheme.

An amendment was moved by Professor Welinkar to the effect that the readers should also deliver a course of lectures, not less than six, designed for graduates and others, who, though not preparing for any examination, were desirous of attending an advanced course of lectures in special branches of knowledge in which they might be interested, and another to modify the wording of scheme No. 3 so that the lecturers selected for that course would be drawn from the colleges of the Presidency, and to make it clear that those who are selected from outside the Colleges should be men who had attained to some clear distinction in the branches of study which they professed. He also wished to reduce the three courses of lectures provided for in the scheme to two, and the number of lectures from twenty-five to twenty. He also suggested that the remuneration of the lecturers should be raised from Rs. 400 to Rs. 600.

Principal Covernton opposed the amendments. As regards the reduction of the course of lectures to two, Principal Covernton said that the object of the scheme was to provide as definite and systematic a course of studies as possible in each of the branches. If they reduced the number to two he thought they would thereby mar the object of the scheme. The scheme was to provide a series of continuous, and as far as possible complete teaching. As regards raising the pay of the lecturers to Rs 600, he pointed out that they would receive more than the Rs 400 that would be paid them. He said that there were five students in the Sanskrit course, so that the Sanskrit lecturer would be receiving the fees of the five students at the rate of Rs. 10 each, besides the Rs. 100. There were now 35 students, who were preparing for history, and the history lecturer would, therefore, receive Rs. 350, besides the Rs. 400. So also in the case of the other subjects. He, therefore, thought there was no necessity for a change in the amount of remuneration.

Mr. K. Subramani Iyer spoke in support of the amendment. He considered it extremely unfair to let the fees paid by the students go to the lecturers. The managers of colleges ought to have some source of augmenting their funds. As regards remuneration, he thought that they would be able to get only third rate or fourth rate men for the remuneration provided for in the scheme. The value of each lecture would come to about Rs. 20, which was very low. He also thought that the number of courses of lectures should he reduced from three to two. That would leave about a thousand rupees for each course. He did not think that sum would be too much. He also thought that it would be difficult to select the best men for all the subjects together. He, therefore, suggested that two lecturers may be selected this year and another two next year and the remaining two the next year, so that they might have the benefit of the services of the best men available.

Mr. Natarajan supported the amendment.

HONORARY LECTURERS.

At this stage, Mr. Babha moved that the scheme be referred back to the Syndicate for revision. He said that his idea was that the scheme was taken up in a hurry. He thought that some of the colleges in Bombay and Poona had first rate men and they might be willing to take up the work of delivering lectures. He said that in Calcutta they had got honorary lecturers. They get no remuneration. They deliver lectures for two hours in the week. His idea was that if the Syndicate asked the Colleges what sort of lecturers they have got they could ascertain how many men would be available and they would be greatly relieved from the great difficulty of selecting men. He thought that they would be able to find professors who would be willing to spend two hours a week for the University without remuneration. They might be paid their out of pocket expenses. The Calcutta University had 27 such lecturers and he thought that was encouraging for them.

The Calcutta University had full time lecturers also who are paid at the rate of Rs. 250 to Rs. 500 a month. If, therefore, the professors are not willing to take honorary lectures they might appoint full time lecturers. The Calcutta University had also tutorial lecturers on Rs. 150 a month.

As regards the fees to be collected from students, he thought they should go to the University so that the University funds might be augmented.

He suggested that they should have a scheme for honorary lecturers, full-time lecturers and inter-collegiate lecturers and moved that the scheme should be referred back to the Syndicate for revision.

Principal Paranjpai seconded the motion, and said that he thought that a good case had been made for the sending back of the scheme to the Syndicate. As regards the appointment of men from Europe, the selection should be restricted. There might be Indian savants like Prof. G. C. Bose or Sir Bhandarkar, and there could be no objection to their selection.

Mr. Anderson said he did not think any case has been made out. The splendid scheme now formulated by Principal Covernton would be wrecked if the motion was passed.

Prof. Welinkar said it would be ungracious on their part now to refer back the scheme to the Syndicate.

Mr. Padhye said he did not like the idea of M. A. students, being kept in leading strings. He also thought the lecturers should be few and of the highest eminence.

RECONSIDERATION BY SYNDICATE OPPOSED.

Principal Convernton said the scheme was not one that was huddled up before time. This scheme was prepared for the expenditure of the grant made by the Government. He opposed the proposal to refer back the scheme to the Syndicate. There would be no time now to obtain lecturers from Europe. The present scheme took about eighteen months to formulate. How many more months would it take before a fresh scheme is prepared? So they must now either accept the scheme or reject it. If they rejected the scheme, there was the chance of losing the grant. He did not say that the scheme was an ideal one. As regards the suggestion that the M. A. students should not be kept under leading strings. He said they require some guidance. They not only have no guidance, but are sometimes misguided also.

Mr. Natarajan said the proposal that they should either accept the scheme or reject it was unfair. Principal Covernton said "You reject it and you lose the money." He thought the Senate must use its right of revision.

Mr. Subramani Iyer satisfied the meeting on the point regarding money. He said there was no chance of losing the money, since they had already got the grant for two years and it had been invested. So there was no change of losing the money unless the Government asked for its return.

Mr Bhabha's motion was then put to the vote and lost.

At this stage a motion was made for the adjournment of the discussion on the original amendmant to the 22nd instant. When the motion was put to the vote it was found that there were 14 votes for and 14 against the proposal. The Chairman gave his casting vote for the continuation of the discussion on the 22nd instant.

Mr K. Subramani Iyer moved some amendments for the raising of the remuneration of the lecturers and some minor alterations in the scheme. They were put to the vote and lost.

The consideration of the other items on the agenda paper was adjourned to the 22nd instant.

ARMY TEMPERANCE CONCERT AT DEESA.

A concert in connection with the R. A. T. A., 5th Ammunition column, R. F. A. Deesa, was held here on Thursday evening, and was attended by all the officers and Europeans at Deesa. There were present Major Lloyd-Jones, officer commanding at Deesa, Captain Marshall, Major Groube, Captain and Mrs. Adler, Captain and Mrs. Roughton, Mrs. Fenton, Rev. and Mrs. J. C. Blair and Miss Blair, Miss Fleming, Captain Gore, Mr. Thompson, Mr. Ryan, Mr. Redgerson. Mr. Syrett, Mr. Passy, Mr. Stride, Mr. Brown, and all the N. C. officers and men of the 5th Ammunition Column.

The following interesting programme was gone through, and gave much pleasure to the audience:—

Overture ...	.....	...Mr Rodgerson & Mr Passy
Song	Carroty	Gunner Stoneham
Song	Violets	Miss E Blair
Song	Even old king Cole Jew	Mr Passy
Song	Don't go down in the mine, Dad	Gunner Corcoran
Song	By Air Folk	Miss Fleming
Duet	We should like a Girl	Gunner Osborne and Gunner Molesworth
Violin Solo	The March in D	Miss Fleming
Song	The Band was playing as the ship went Down	Gunner Osborne
Song	The Boys in Scarlet and Gold	Gunner Gledhill
Overture ...	.....	...Mr Passy and Mr Stride

Part 2.

Song	Good-bye Australia	Gunner Corcoran
Song	When Father papered the Parlour	Gunner Stoneham
Song	Are you right. There Michael ...	Miss Fleming
Song	Pull up your socks Charlie ...	Gunner Osborne
Song	Where the Sweet Magnolioz Boom	Gunner Molesworth
Song	We all went Liecester Square	Gunner Gledhill
Song	Drum Coliber	Miss Fleming
Song	I love you, old French Bonnet	Mr Passy
Song	Mary Cassidy	Miss Fleming

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At the close, the Rev. Sober C. Bloir, President of the R. A. T. A., gave medals to the following members, and expressed to them his pleasure in doing so. He felt sure, he said, thus they all agreed with him in believing that total abstenance is good for the health, for the pocket, and for the future prospects of the men. An amusing sketch called "The Disappearing Lady" brought the evening to a close. The President proposed a vote of thanks to all who took part in the concert and especially to Miss Fleming who had come so far to to help in the evening's amusement for the soldiers.

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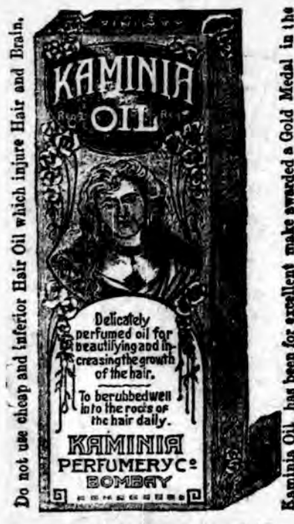
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LAW INTELLIGENCE.

HIGH COURT.

CRIMINAL SESSIONS.

PRIVATE DAWSON ACQUITTED.

The fifth day's sitting of the fourth Criminal Sessions of the Bombay High Court was held on Saturday, Mr. Justice Davar presiding.

The further hearing of the charges preferred against Lance-Corporal Richard Charles Dawson, of criminal breach of trust in respect of a postal money order to the value of 13s. 4d. was continued. His Lordship was assisted by a European jury composed of the following gentlemen :—Messrs. E. Cosgriff (foremen), G. D. Green, J. MacLean, L. J. Morris, W. R. Morley, J. A. Shaw, J. B. Backhouse, T. W. Janz and C. M. P. Clyne.

Mr. E. M. F. Nicholson appeared for the Crown, and Mr. Barrow defended.

Superintendent Sullivan and Inspector Morris, of the C. I. D, were in charge of the case.

The facts of the case have been already reported.

In summing up his Lordship said that the prisoner was charged with two offences, in the first instance, with forging the name of one Cross on a postal money order, and in the second place, with committing a criminal breach of trust by misappropriating the proceeds of that postal order.

Mr. Nicholson, who had appeared for the Crown, observed his Lordship, had with great candour admitted that his case, in one instance, was not sucessful, but he had urged various considerations in favour of the prosecution. They had also heard Mr. Barrow, who had addressed them in favour of the prisoner.

Continuing, his Lordship said that the jury had to remember that this was a case of very great importance to the accused who was a young man, and had a future before him. As far as the evidence in the case was concerned the routine followed in the office showed that the postal order in question had passed through various stages before it came into the hands of the accused. It was lying on the table of the officer, on the table of the senior clerks; it was thrown into the despatch box, and orderlies went about with it to and fro in the office, and it finally came into the hands of the accused, in a cover. All this clearly showed that not the accused alone had access to it, nor was he the only person who had handled it. It was possible that other hands than those of the accused misused the postal order.

Coming to the question of the writing of the name of Cross on the postal order, his Lordship said, that all the witnesses, including Captain Collins, who had been familiar with the handwriting of the accused for a longtime, would not commit themselves to a positive statement that the writing was that of the accused. All that they had deposed was that the writing was similar to that of the accused. An expert in handwriting had been invited to give evidence but Mr. Nicholson had not pressed the importance of that evidence.

Referring to the question of identity, his Lordship said that there was no proof that it was the accused who had cashed the postal order. A witness called from the PostOffice had positively refused to identify the accused as the person who had cashed the postal order. The jury returned a verdict of not guilty on both the charges.

His Lordship observed that it was an exceedingly proper verdict, and acquitted, and discharged the accused.

AN OLD OFFENDER.

The next case was one of theft in which one Maruti Ramji (42), a Hindu, had been committed by Mr. Frank Oliveira to stand his trial.

Mr. Vatcha was for the Crown, while the accused was undefended.

The evidence showed that on the afternoon of June 28, the complainant, Moraji Dosa, a boy aged 13, was purchasing some parched gram near the Mangaldas Market. At that time he had in his pocket two currency notes of Rs. 10 each and a sum of Rs 5 in silver which he had to pay to one Dosa Jivanji, a dealer in cloth, on account of cloth purchased by his master. At that time two men came up, and one of them gave the complainant a pushand the accused took the money from the complainant's pocket. The complainant saw him and he handed him over to the police.

The accused in his defence said that he was innocent.

The jury unanimously found the accused guilty, and as he had previous convictions his Lordship sentenced him to five years' rigorous imprisonment.

ANOTHER CASE OF THEFT.

Abdul Ismail *alias* Eboo Malang, *alias* Huboo Malang, *alias* Ebrahim Karim (35), who was committed by Mr. A. H. S. Aston on a charge of theft, was placed before a common jury.

Mr. Barrow prosecuted, while the accused was undefended.

Counsel for the prosecution, in opening the case, said that on July 12, last, the complainant, Balwant Luxman, a shopkeeper, his brother, and a servant, were sleeping on the verandah of his shop in Hanuman Lane; the accused came and snatched away the *dhoter* which covered Balwant. He was detected in this act by Balwant's brother who caught hold of him, and handed him over to the police.

The accused stated that he was innocent.

The jury found the accused guilty, and as he had several previous convictions his Lordship sentenced him to five years' rigorous imprisonment.

CHARGED WITH MURDER.

Parvatibai (27), Ganoo Kashiba (32), and Kondiba Rama (35) all Hindus, who were committed by Rao Bahadur C. H. Setalvad to stand their trial on a charge of murder and attempting to secretly dispose of the dead body of a child, and abetment thereof, were put up before his Lordship and the following special jury :—Messrs. D. M. Inglis (foreman), Robert Speirs, Jayasukhlal Krishnalal Mehta, McGill, H. T. Gorrie, R. K. Gillard, J. Knowles, Rustam K. Allbless and Dhunjibhoy Bomonji Petit.

The Advocate-General, with Mr. Munsuff was for the prosecution, while Mr. Rangneker defended.

The Advocate-General informed his Lordship that the charge against the first accused had been withdrawn.

His Lordship, therefore, acquitted and discharged her.

Mr. Rangneker then raised an objection that under Section 239, Criminal Procedure Code, the two accused could not be tried for these offences at the same time.

His Lordship overruled this objection.

Counsel for the prosecution in the opening case said, that Parvatibai was a widow, and she was kept by Ganu in a chawl at Kamatipura fifth lane. Kandiba was his friend, and he lived in the next room. On July 20, last, in the evening she gave birth to a child. They strangled the child and then placed it in a gunny bag and left Bombay for Andheri at night by the last local train. When they alighted at Andheri a police peon saw them and asked them what was in the bundle. They stated that it contained food. The police man grew suspicious and asked them to open it. At this Ganu run away, but he was followed by the police and arrested. On the bag being opened, a female newly born child was found, with life extinct. The Civil Surgeon of Andheri having made a post mortem examination of the body, found several wounds.

After recording evidence the Court rose for the day.

DISPUTE ABOUT A WILL.

A suit filed by Rudolph de Souza against Augustinho de Souza and others in connection with a will was heard by Mr. Justice McLeod on Saturday last.

Mr. Jardine with Mr. Setalwad, instructed by Messrs. Edgelow Gulabchand and Co., were for the plaintiff; the Advocate-General Strangman with Mr. Joseph Baptista, instructed by Messrs. Sunderdas and Co, appeared for the first defendant, while Mr. Jafferbhoy with Mr. Mehta, instructed by Messrs. Motichand and Devidas, represent ed the second and third defendants.

It was stated that Louis Manuel de Souza and Gravetinha Baptista, who were inhabitants of Portuguese India, were married on February 4, 1875. The latter died at Goa intestate in June, 1912. Louis also died at Goa on September 13, 1912, The first defendant had applied to the Court in its testametary and intestate jurisdiction for letters of administration of the estate with an alleged will annexed, by which Louis purported to dispose of all his property. The plaintiff said that the will of Louis was invalid for the disposal of anything beyond one-sixth of the property possessed by Louis and Gravetinha. The plaintiff and the first and second defendants are children and heirs of Louis and Gravetinha, and are entitled to equal shares in the property. The second defendant received a dowry of Rs. 5,000 on her marriage to the third defendant and by the law of Portugal comes only to share in the property of the parents on repaying this sum to the estate. The third defendant was made a party as according to the law of Portugal, he was jointly and equally interested in the property of his wife, the second defendant, by virtue of their marriage. The property consisted of movable and immovable property in Bombay and three deposits in the National Bank of India, Ld., made by Louis, one deposit of Rs. 2,140, made on August 15, 1912, by the deceased in the name of the first defendant and two deposits, dated October 4, and May 27, 1912, for Rs. 1,140 and Rs. 1,080 in the joint names of Louis and the first defendant, payable to either or the survivor. The monies deposited were the property of Louis and the first defendant had no right therein. The property further consisted of immovable property at Goa and of jewellery and of cash at Goa to the extent of Rs. 3,000 to Rs. 4,000. When Louis died the plaintiff was in Bombay and the first defendant was at Goa. The first defendant was alleged to be an idler of weak intellect, and he on the death of Louis took possession of all cash and jewellery at Goa and had, it was suggested, concealed the same.

The plaintiff prayed that the estates of the deceased might be administered by the Court and the shares of the plaintiff and the defendant be ascertained, that the first defendant be ordered to account for all of the estates of both the deceased which had come to his hands, and for application of the same; that the will of Louis was only operative to the extent of one-third of the property vested in him at his decease, and that a receiver be appointed to get in recover and realise the estate of each of them.

The first defendant in his statement said that both the deceased were British subjects and were domiciled in British India. He submitted that the Portuguese law was not applicable at all to the immovable property in British India. Nor was it applicable to the movable property. The defendant submitted that the Portugese law was not applicable to persons who had lost their status as Portuguese citizens and, in particular, was not applicable to Portuguese, who accepted public service under a foreign Government or receive a pension from a foreign Government without permission of the Government. He said that there was no injunction and receiver as prayed.

The second defendent prayed that all the property both movable and immovable ought to be divisible as under the Portuguese law and then distributed among the heirs.

The case is proceeding.

ADMITTED AS AN ADVOCATE.

Mr. J. A. Balfour, of the Middle Temple, Barrister-at-Law, was admitted as an advocate of the Bombay High Court before Mr. Justice McLeod.

POLICE COURTS.

GANJA SMUGGLING.

27TH CASE FROM ONE SHIP.

On Friday night, a Customs sepoy, who was doing duty at Ballard Pier, searched a fireman on board the oil steamer "Beme" named Usmia Ally Mahomed who was carrying a basket of fruit to the steamer. Inside the basket was found a bundle containing 1 lb. and 36 tolas of ganja.

The man was charged before Mr. A. H. S. Aston on Saturday with being in illicit possession of ganja. The accused pleaded not guilty, and said that he was carrying the basket for another man and he did not know that it contained ganja.

The evidence of the sepoy showed that when he questioned the accused before he was arrested he became confused and began to tremble.

The magistrate convicted the accused. Mr. C. R. Watkins, Assistant Collector of Customs, pressed the Court to pass a heavy sentence on the accused as he said the smuggling of ganja and opium was being carried on regularly. Moreover, that this was the twenty seventh prosecution of members of the crew of the S. S. "Beme."

The magistrate gave the accused two months' hard labour.

BOY THIEF'S BIG HAUL.

Mr. Frank Oleveira. Third Presidency Magistrate, disposed of a case in which Deputy Inspector Sargon charged two Hindus, named Gulabchand and Hemchand Lalchand, with receiving stolen property. The case was that in January last a boy, named Prabbu Jeevan, committed a theft of Rs 3,600 from the shop of Premchand Rattanji and Co, piece-goods merchants. The money was kept in a box and was kept in the shop of the two accused who keep a grocery shop at Dhobigully. Some time after the theft was traced to Prabbu and a large amount of the property was recovered. Prabbu was convicted and sentenced to fifteen stripes. Later on, Gulabchand and Hemchand were charged with receiving stolen property.

Mr. Mohanlal M. Desai appeared for the complainant, Kila Ramji, munim of Premchand Ruttanji & Co., Mr. B. B. Kampani appeared for the first accused, and Mr. B. T. Desai appeared for the second accused.

The magistrate discharged the second accused as there was not sufficient evidence against him. The first accused, who was a boy, aged 15, pleaded guilty to the charge of receiving and disposing of stolen property and was sentenced to fifteen stripes.

HIGH COURT.—SEPT. 8.

Before the Hon'ble the Chief Justice and the Hon'ble Mr. Justice Batchelor.

53-12936-11—Shroff D and D (for a pauper) Bai Poorbai widow v Bai Moorbai widow Madh K and C. For passing a Decree.

25-13—1-13—Payne and Co Andrew Yule and Co, a firm vs Ardeshir Bomonji Dubash and anr Pestonji R K and Co.

27-13, 1-13—Bicknell M R and Co. Gulam Husein Essaji vs Andrew Yule and Co. Payne and Co.

26-13, 66-12—Little and Co. The London County Westminster Bank Ltd vs The Bank of Bombay, Crawford B and Co.

12-13, 1050-11—Payne and Co. Tribowandas M Nathubai and others vs Mahomedally Lookmanji Sullemanji. Jehangir and S.

Before the Hon. Mr. Justice Beaman.

In the Division Court No. 53.

Suits for Hearing and Final Disposal.

Long Causes.

102I-12—Manchersha Jan Mahomed Abdulla Datoo vs Datoo Jaffer and others Mirza

For Hearing on Exceptions to Acting Commissioner Report.

461-10—Jamsetji Ramlal Himatlal vs Gopal Nagardas Nadirsher.

Long Causes.

1230-12—Hiralal and Co, Rajabali Ranji and ors vs Bai Sonabai, widow and ors Jamsetji. R D Sham M and N Tyabji D and Co.

696-12—Little and Co M R Dubash vs Bai Sonabai widow Ardeshir H D and Co.

895-12—Bhaishanker The Laxmidas Khimji Spg and Wg Co Ltd vs Raja Bahadur Motilal Shivlal. Bickneil.

150-12—Subnis and K M Mohite vs G M Mohite Shamrao.

724-12—Dubash Bhogilal Maganlal vs Ranchordas Varjiwandas Hiralal. Edgelow G W and Co Dubash and P.

1324-12—Jamsetji Hiralal Gordhandas vs Jugmohundas Damodardas Madhowji.

142-09—Bhaishanker Raja Bahadur Motilal Shivlal vs Bamonji Rustomji and ors Mulla.

74-13—Dikshit Y V Nane vs Keshavrao, Bhaiji and others Judah.

1346-12—Judah and S. The Advocate-General of Bombay vs. Damoderdas Rangildas and others Matubhai, J and M F P Pavri.

748-12—Hiralal and Co, Jamnadas Dewkaran vs. Mulji Jetha and Co Pestonji R. K. and Co.

539-12—Mulla and M. Radhakissondas Dewarkadas vs. Motilal Rupchand and others Dikeit and P; Mulji K. and Th.

317-12—Patell and E. Bai Amtubai widow vs. Javerbai and others Payne and Co; Little and Co. Patell and Viz

83-13—Mulla and M. Messrs Naranji Jetha and Co. vs Jamnabai widow Dastur and Co.

42-13—Raghawaya N. and Co. Manilal Chotalal vs. Surajmal Liherchand and others. Surajmal and Co. Edg G W Co

58-13—Khanderao L. and M Ranchordas Tribowandas vs. Motiram Gangadhar and another. Judah and S. Nadirshaw and D Sabnis and G.

97-13—Captain and V. Haji Ahmed Saley Mahomed vs. Wada Ibrahim and another. Nadirshaw and D; Sabnis and G.

98-13—Nadirsha and D. Dada Ebrahim and another vs. Haji Ahmed Salley Mahomed Captain and V.

1280-12—Dikshit, Khanderao Nana Moroba vs Vasantrao Nana Moroba, and ors Daphtary F and D Mulji K and Th.

189-12—Maneklal, Ronchordas Harjivan and anr vs Abubacker Abdul Rahman, Little.

226-13—Unwala S D Dadyste vs Suleman Abul Wahed and Co Captain.

1120 12—Patell The B Bay Cotton Press Co vs R M Heeramaneck Payne.

Before the Hon. Mr. Justice Macleod.

After the Chamber Work is Over.

Suits for Hearing and Final Disposal.

Long Causes.

1225-12—Edg G W and Co Rundolph De Souza vs Augustino De Souza and others Sunderdas and Co Motichaud Mulla and Mulla and D.

774-12—Little, H A K Vasi vs S A H Vasi and anr Edgelow and Bick.

20-13—Ardeshir, Nanakram Devida vs Parbhulal Harilal, Edgelow.

1332-12—Edgelow, Pragji Nanji vs Narotum Gordhandas and ors Payne.

1333-12—Edgelow, Pragji Nanji and anr vs Narotum Gordhandas, and ors Payne.

776-12—Matubhai J and M Kesserbai vs. Gopinath Jiwan Keni D J Mantri.

455-11—Mulla and Mulla Adamji Ammarbhoy and others vs Abdeally Lukhmanji Payne and Co.

1352-12—Mulla and Mulla Premabai widow vs Sultan Amin Smethum B and Co.

1193-12—Vachha and Co v Manekchand Oukarji Narmada Shanker Harjiwan and others.

585-11—Shamrae M. & H. v. Lakhmiram Kevalram Pitamber Akheram Jam R and D.

589-11—Surajmal and Co Mahomed Hassonalli and others v Lukmanji Thavarbhai and others Smi. M and H Payne and Co Surajmal and Co.

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The following is a list of the presents :—

Bride to bridegroom, silver cigarette box and pearl pin; bridegroom to bride, emerald cluster ring and silver toilet tray; Mrs E P Martin, household linen; Capt. E P Martin, canteen; Mr Sanderson and Mr Kinnier, tea service; Mr Duncan Wilson, silver finger bowls; Mr and Mrs Burt, silver salt cellars; Capt and Mrs Daldy, electric lamp; Capt Garwood, tea service; Mr and Mrs Moberly, tea kettle; Mr and Mrs Guibara, whisky noggins; Mr J B Browning, carved blackwood table; Mr Spence and Mr Elliot, kettle; Mr C Lincoln, whisky decanter; Dr Dean, silver tea pot; Mr and Mrs M Hogg, coffee cups; Mr K McI Kemp, tiffin basket; Mr E A Williams, travelling clock; Mr and Mrs Needham, cheque; Mr Currumsey Damji, silver coffee set; Mr Plinston, silver sauce boat; Mr R E Wilson, silver clock; Mr Harper, cheque; Mr and Mrs Hebble Thwaite, silver sweet dish; Mr Ash, Mr Baker, Mr Reade and Mr Stileman, desert service; Mr Reade, book; Mr Rich, and Mr. Puttick, whisky decanters; Mr and Miss Stevens, cloisnee vases; Mr Haig Brown, cheque; Mr Cameron, cheque; Mr and Mrs Hopkins, brass table; Mr and Mrs Gillet, vinegar and oil bottle; Mr Cardale, Lamb's tales from Shakespeare; Mrs Fitz Williams, cheque; Mr. Wessent, cheque; Capt Mitchell, ostrich feathers; Mr Gnap, bedspread and opera cloak; Mr and Mrs Adamson, lace scarf; Mr and Mrs Wood, pearl tray; Mr Roberts, cheque; Mr Watkins, silver sweet dishes; Mr and Mrs Lattey, silver bowl; Captain J Mansel, Mr Sprot, Mr J Brooke and Captain Lumley Smith, silver hatpin stand; Mr Wiles, entree dish; Mr and Mrs Orr, entree dish; Mr H T Gorrie, cheque; Mr and Mrs Sharp, silver butter dish; Miss Mignon, table centre; Mr and Mrs J Benjamin, old china brass ornament; Mr and Mrs Arthur Froom, one wall clock; Mr and Mrs Norman Kemp, liqueur set; Mr and Mrs Greig, wine decanters; Mr K M Clarke, Mr Keene R A and Mr Kennedy, silver cigarette box; Mr and Mrs Hickie, Silver bowls; Mrs E Martin, cheque; Mrs Layton, egg bowls; Miss Dawes, enamal hair combs; Mrs Martin, cheque; Mr and Mrs Gomperty, enamel coffee spoons; Mrs Wade, a night dress case; Lybil and Phil Wade, Pincushion; Miss K Orr, cut glass flower vase; Miss M Orr, old glass sugar bowl; Mr and Mrs E Bart, cheque; Mr Bart, cheque; Mrs Bart, silver sweet dishes; Mr F Bart and Miss Bart, silver tea service; Col and Mrs Morknero, lace handkerchiefs; Mr and Mrs Corrington, silver tea spoons; Mr and Mrs Lamb and family, silver mustard pot and salt cellars; Mr G P Orr, inkstand; Servants of "The Rayce," egg stand; Servants of "Birelham," toast racks; Servants of "Eversleigh," work box and lace; Dr and Mrs Hoskin, and family, toilet centre and doyleys; Mr and Mrs Blaker, silver cake knife; Mrs Allen, afternoon tea cloth; Mrs Hamil Jones and family, silver salt cellars; Capt Coleman, silver calender; Mr and Mrs R G Orr, silver butter dish; Mrs Rising, table centre, Miss Armstrong, at home book; Mr and Mrs Dacent, hand bag, Miss D and Master Morlen, silver card case; Mr and Mrs Collier, pie servers; Miss Ravenshaw, jewel case; Mrs Kellow, cheque; Mrs Hannay, cushion; Miss I Hannay, candle-stick; Miss V Spankie, silver sugar tongs; General and Mrs Thompson, silver vases; Miss M. Thompson, cushion; Mrs. Weir, silver gruel spoons; Miss Corrington, silver clock; Capt and Mrs Hanbury Brown, silver sweet dish, Miss Willoughby, china vase; Mrs Moriarty, Limerick handkerchiefs; Mrs Elliot, entree dish; Mrs Langley, linen toilet covers; Miss Saville, silver tea caddy, Mr and Mrs Rouse Orlebar, silver jam pots.

AMUSEMENTS.

A TALENTED SOUBRETTE.

Miss Alice Digby scored quite a triumph during the week end at the Excelsior. She came with a reputation gained in the London Halls and in South Africa, and she quite maintained that reputation, delighting her audiences with her singing, her dainty dancing, and her charming personality. The most popular of her three numbers was, "My heart is with you to-night," which Home audiences have made so popular. It is a charming little song, with a haunting melody, and as Miss Digby sings it is invested with additional charms; for she has a voice of remarkable sweetness, and in this melody her delightful tone is shown to admirable advantage. Quite a different kind of contribution is "Ther's a gentleman here to night with." It is very much lighter than the other, and while perhaps Miss Digby's voice is not as well suited to this number as to the first it is quite as popular with the audience, for there is a catchy refrain which is thrown on the cinema screen and in which the audience is asked to join. Yet another change is a Dutch character dance, which is introduced by a Dutch song. Miss Digby presents the dances of many other countries. Altogether her engagement ought to be the most popular attraction that the Excelsior has had for a long time.

This is an excellent picture programme, the principal feature being a striking aeroplane story entitled, "Like a Sister". In this there is a thrilling incident in which an explosion is seen on an aeroplane in midair and the fiery mass dashes to earth with the aviator in the machine. M. Prince appears in a particularly funny film; there is a charming little film story showing the intelligence of dumb animals: and "Pathe's Gazette" has several features of special interest.

SAVED FROM DROWNING.

The plucky action of a police sepoy rescued a Marwari woman from the waves on Friday last. The woman lives in Sheik Memon Street and is aged about forty. There was some religious ceremony at her house on Friday and in connection with this she went to bathe in the sea at Kennedy Sea Face. While she was bathing a big wave washed her off her feet. She was carried about ten yards. When Police Sepoy No. 1191-C. noticing her plight took off his turban and shoes, jumped into the sea and brought the woman to the shore with some difficulty.

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QUESTION OF THE FRENCH PATENT.

Lieutenant Dunne has sent the following communication to the *Times*:—

A *canard* is a difficult bird to overtake, and the popular idea that the secret of and entire rights in the Dumb aeroplane have been sold to France has got away with a start which threatens to leave contradiction hopelessly behind. Moreover, the statement of the Financial Secretary of the War Office that two machines ordered in March are three months overdue tends to lend further colour to the idea that the Blair-Atholl syndicate are discriminating against the War Office in favour of our neighbours. I would be glad if you would allow me to present the true facts of the case. The entire rights in the machines have not been sold to France. We have patents in most countries, and all that is here in question is the French patent, the abandonment of which would have allowed any one in France to start manufacturing these machines without restriction. The secret was lost to the War Office as long ago as 1909, when I was obliged to patent my derelict invention in all countries as the necessary preliminary to obtaining financial support for further experiment. The machine which Commander Flix has taken to France is an old one, built in 1911, but now equipped with an engine belonging to the Nieuport Company. The new machine we are building for the Newport Company is in the same backward condition as those ordered for the War Office. From the present administration of the Royal Flying Corps I have received nothing but kindness.

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Bombay, 8th September, 1913.

822. Signalling Class.—The Signalling Class will parade every Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 7 a.m. on the Maidan in front of Head-Quarters.

Dress.—Mufti.

823. Miniature Range.—The Miniature Range at Old Head-Quarters, Carnac Road, will be open for practice every Tuesdays and Fridays at 7 a.m.

824. Machine Gun.—The 2nd Machine Gun Section of "G" Company will parade under Sergt. A. B. S. Hayne, at Head-Quarters, on Tuesday the 9th instant at 6-45 p.m.

825. Parade.—The Parade for "G" Company to-day Monday the 8th instant, is cancelled.

826. Recruits Parade.—"G" Company Recruits will parade on Wednesday the 10th instant at 7-30 a.m. at the Bombay Gymkhana.

Dress.—Mufti.

Arms and Accoutrements will be issued on the parade ground.

II. All Recruits of the current season will parade at the Old Head-Quarters, Carnac Road, every Fridays at 6-30 p.m.

827. Lecture.—In accordance with Brigade Order No 194 dated 23rd July 1913, Major E G W Pratt, 95th Russell's Infantry, will give a lecture on the 9th instant, at the B V A Lecture Room at 7-15 p.m.

Subject.—The period 1st December to the end of December including the battle of Austerlitz.

All Officers and members of Volunteer Units are invited to be present.

Dress.—Plain clothes.

828. Enrolment.—The undernamed having been re-enrolled is taken on the strength of the Corps and posted to "E" Company:—

No 3020 Cyclist C B Fido.

(Sd.) H. B. MURRAY, Lieut.
Actg. Adjutant, B. V. R.

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Bombay, 8th September, 1913.

1. Riding School for Recruits and members of the Corps will be held daily from 7-15 a.m.

Dress.—Mufti.

2. The usual drill will be held at the Town Hall to-morrow evening Tuesday the 9th instant from 6 p.m.

All Recruits are requested to attend.

3. The following members having joined are taken on the strength and posted as follows:—

Mr F C Spencer, to "A" Troop.

Mr Douglas K Johnstone, to "C" Troop.

(Sd.) D. WILSON, Lieut.
Actg. Adjutant, Bombay Light Horse.

BOMBAY VOLUNTEER ARTILLERY

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Bombay, 6th September, 1913.

204. Viceroy's Competitions.—Members wishing to enter for Viceroy's Competition 1913-14 should submit their names, with entrance fee Rs 4, to the Adjutant, B V A, not later than 20th September 1913.

205. Semaphore Class.—The Semaphore Signalling Class will parade on Sunday 7th instant at 7-30 a.m. at the Back Bay Wireless Station, and Tuesday 9th instant at 6-30 p.m. at Head Quarters.

207. First Aid Class.—The Fourth lecture in first aid will be delivered at Head Quarters at 9-30 p.m. on Thursday next 11th instant.

208. Educational Lecture.—The following is published for information:—

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Subject:—The period 1st December to the end of December including the battle of Austerlitz.

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LADIES' CORNERS.

SILHOUETTES.

Silhouettes, pushed "down the back entry of time" by the photograph, are once again becoming the fashion in London this time through the beautiful work of Baron Henri Scotford. Most of us remember peering through the gloom of our grandmothers' Victorian parlours and wondering how those eerie black patches, above the funereal row of hair-cloth chairs against the wall, could be tolerated among living people. But glance back still further. In Goethe's time "the beautiful novelty" on the throat of a popular woman would create as much stir at a fashionable dinner as a costly jewel to-day. Napoleon was fond of presenting himself *en silhouette* to his generals. Fanny Burney delighted in the "shades." Dean Swift wrote verses to them. George III was a patron of the art, and his daughter, the Princess Elizabeth, an expert scissors woman. In London, on the Strand and Bond and Fleet streets to say nothing of Bath, the silhouette studios a hundred years ago were much like the Piccadilly clubs of to-day.

ORIGIN OF THE ART.

Silhouettes were painted on glass, ivory, plaster, and paper, or clipped from black paper and pasted on white, or white on black, and of all sizes, down to small enough for finger rings. The art is old as history. Witness the old Etruscan vases, black figures on red clay, and the decorations of the old mummy coffins. Again, the Greek excavations of the eighteenth century resulted in an art revival that gave us the equisite pottery of Wedgwood and Flaxman. Of the origin of the silhouette various stories are told. One is that it was a girl, in grief for a recreant lover, surreptitiously sketching his "shade" as all that was left to her of hapiness. Imagine any self-respecting girl cumbering herself with even the "shadow" of one so unworthy! Another tells of a lover returning from a short absence to find his lady on her bier. Distractedly gazing about him in the darkness, his eye-caught upon the walls the shadow of the loved face and he reverently traced it.

WONDERFUL COLLECTION.

Two important collections of silhouettes are in London to-day, one owned by the late Lady Dorothy Nevill, and the other by Mr. Frances Wellesley. The latter, even before the collection of the late Mr. Montague Guest, was added to it a few years ago, boasted quite three-quarters of best known works of the eighteenth century silhouettists. Among them are works of Miers ("The Cosway of Shadow Artists"), Field, Miers' partner and successor, who invented the fashion of touching the "shades" with gold; Charles, a neighbour of Miers in the Strand, who invented the portraits on glass; Tarond, of Wells; Rider, of Temple Bar; Richard Jorden; Mrs. Lightfoot, of Liverpool; Gonord, of Paris; "the peerless" Mrs. Beetham, who "gave souls to her shades and handled gauze and ribbon like Rosenberg"; and Edouart, who silhouetted the French Royal Family in Edinburgh, and "did" several American Presidents, and whose "shade" of President Tyler was presented to the White House by Mrs. Nevill Jackson through the British Ambassador quite recently.

NOT DREAMING OF ROYALTY.

Baron Scotford, the present exponent, is a young American descended from the old French family of Le Baron, a student of the art schools of Chicago, New York, Edinburgh, and Paris; and though only thirty years of age, is known in every large coast city of the United States, and in Edinburgh, Paris, and Rome as well. In London he has "done" many people of note, including the Duke and Duchess of Argyll, the Princess Victoria, and the late King Edward. Baron Scotford amazes and delights his patrons, not only by the accuracy of the likeness, but the speed with which he does the work. One minute from the sitter's entrance the Baron's scissors will flicker about a slip of paper, and then he will hand the likeness out with something of the air of a schoolboy wondering if there may not be something wrong with his sum after all. He is usually too intent on his work to think who the sitter may be. At Earl's Court four years ago a gentleman sat down. About half through, and intent on his scissors, the Baron heard: "Some folks say I look like His Majesty King Edward. What do you think?" Glancing up an instant and back again to the paper in his fingers, he remarked carelessly, "Yes you *do* look a little bit like him." And only as the gentleman took his leave and he saw the police clearing a way through the onlookers did it dawn on the artist that it was King Edward himself. "But I was just from America then," he says, with a little laugh. "I was not dreaming of Royalty."

FORTHCOMING MARRIAGES.

A marriage has been arranged, and will take place in India in November, between Vera Alexandrina, youngest daughter of Col. St. John, R.A., and Lancelot Charles Perrin, Indian Public Works Department, Irrigation Branch, United Provinces, only son of Mr. Charles Perrin, Local Government Board, and Mrs. Perrin, 12 Cadogan Court, grandson of the late Major-Gen. John Innes Robinson, Bengal cav., and nephew of Sir Ernest Robinson, Bart.

A marriage has been arranged between Raymond Drummond Nolan, of Ballinderry, Co. Galway, eldest son of the late Philip Nolan, Indian Civil Service, and Kathleen, daughter of the Right Hon. Charles A. O'Connor, Master of the Rolls in Ireland, 28 Fitzwilliam Place, Dublin.

A marriage has been arranged, and will take place in October, between Capt. Geoge charles Kelly, 60th Rifles, only son of the late Lieut-Col. G. C. Kelly, 60th Rifles, and Florence Temple-Barrow, youngest of the late John Hudson, of Yokohama, and Mrs. Hudson, of Carisbrooke, Comberlly.

The marriage arranged between Francis Charles Dixon, of Makrana, Rajputana, and Ellen Theodora, third daughter of the late Mr. W. F. Fox, of East Bridgford Hall, Notts, will take place on Oct. 18 at Bombay.

The marriage arranged between Capt. Edmond Roche-Kelly, Royal Irish Regt., and Kathleen Mary, daughter of Lieut.-Col. Shine, Royal Army Medical Corps, will take place in Belfast towards the end of September.

An engagement is announced between Bertram Darell Richards, eldest son of the late Capt. J. C. Richards, R.N., and of Mrs. Richards, of Birkenhead, and Winifred Margaret Frances, elder, daughter of Mr. R. Batson Joyner, C.I.E., and Mrs. Joyner, of Lake Oiew, Cheltenham, and Wood Bay, North Devon.

The engagement is announced between Capt. George Be Painton Royal Army Medical Corps, and Aileen Mona daughter of Col. George E. Even, C.B. (late 12th Queen Mary, Own Baluchi Light Inf.), and Mrs. Even, of 34 Inglis Road Colchester.

BRIEF AND PITHY.

PROPERTY MAN'S RAVANGE.

On one occasion, just previous to opening in one of the large Eastern cities (says the "Argonaut"), Joseph Jefferson discharged his property man, Bagley, for humiliating him before a number of friends by familiarly addressing him as "Joey."

Bagley got drunk right away, and that night paid his way to the gallery to see Mr. Jefferson present "Rip Van Winkle." The angry frau had just driven poor, destitute Rip from the cottage, when Rip turned, and, with a world of pathos, asked: "Den haf I no interest in dis house?"

The house was deathly still, the audience half in tears, when Bagley's cracked voice responded: "Only eighty per cent., Joey—only eighty per cent."

ON NIGHT DUTY.

Members of the Llanelly Police Force (says the "Western Mail") are talking of an incident that occured to one of them the other evening. In Lakefield-road a constable saw something black on the ground and turned his bull's-eye lantern on it.

Thinking it was a black cat he moved on, but when he passed again it was still there. He had another look, and this time imagined it to be a mouse. After going on a little way he turned back, and this time it looked like a dog.

Still dissatisfied, he had a fourth and a fifth look, and eventually, so it is said, went to the police-station and reported that he had seen a hedgehog.

CAT'S EARLY CLOSING DAY.

We have a cat (writes "Grocer," in the "Glasgow News") which knows the days of the week. It is rather an independent cat. After breakfast it goes forth into the unknown and seldom returns till nearly closing time, when it calls for supper. When the Tuesday half-holiday came into operation, pussy returned once or twice when the shop was closed, and as a result went supperless to some cold, cheerless makeshift of a bed. This proved not to the lady's liking. But she soon learned to understand that on one day of the week she was to come home early. Now she is never locked out on a Tuesday. But she is obviously disgusted with the present Government's interference with the liberties of the cat.

SCARING BIRDS.

"To scare birds from a garden tie a cat to a chain there." This suggestion appeared in a London newspaper from an apparently serious correspondent.

At least one person who read it tried the experiment (says the "Manchester Guardian"), and it almost resulted in a tragedy. The cat was tied by a piece of rope to a clothes-post which stood about a foot from a fence separating the adjoining garden.

The poor animal did not seem to realise what had happened, and, after trying in vain to walk away, suddenly climbed the post. The rope tautened when she reached the top, but even then she did not understand what was wrong, for the next moment she gave a spring on to the fence and another leap with the intention, apparently, of landing in the next-door garden (where she was a frequent visitor).

Then the horror of the situation suddenly dawned on the spectators, but before anything could be done the cat was hanging by the neck on the other side of the fence.

They gave her up for lost, but, to their surprise and relief, the little girl who hauled her back over the top of the fence brought her in none the worse for her experience.

ETON IN 1697.

Buried away in the record of the MSS. of the Hon. Frederick Lindley Wood, at Temple Newsam, in the new volume of the Historical MSS. Commission, is a letter from an Eton schoolboy. It was written by Edward Lord Ingram to John Roades, his father's steward, 215 years ago, and reads as freshly as though it had been penned. Althogether it is half a page long, and it runs, in extenso, thus:—

I am wery well and think Eton very easy school. I am shure one cannot offend without they be meare rakes indeed. I am so well plact that I shall be in the fourth from this Whitsuntide, Christmas is the fardest, and if I had had the good fortune to have learnt the right Greek grammer I might have been in it by Easter. When you go to see my brothers you must tell my brother Arthur that I will write to him ere long pray you to acquaint Mr. Herbert how well I am plact.

HOMER AND THE DEMOCRATS.

Secretary of the Navy John D. Long, in the Massachusetts campaign of 1878 (says the "Argonaut"), was making his first run for governor against General Butler, who had captured the Democratic nomination, and Judge Josiah G. Abbott, who was the candidate of the old-time Democrats.

The late Judge Thompson was making a speech for Abbott before a big Democratic audience, and, after praising the candidate as a jurist and as statesman, asked sarcastically: "And now who is this John L-L-Long?" No one answering, he proceeded: "They say he has made a translation of Homer's 'Iliad'! What g-g-good is that to us? All Democrats read Homer in the original."

At this the person to whom the judge was telling the story laughed, but the judge continued: "Th-th-that's not the real joke at all! The real joke is that not a m-m-man in the audience so much as smiled!"

ONE THING NEEDED.

The enterprise of the modern furnishing firm is surprising. A confirmed bachelor received the following note the other day.

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The reply was—"Unless the sum named includes the provision of a bride it is useless to me. But try my cousin; he is the unfortunate man."—"Manchester Guardian."

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SCIENCE NOTES.

A NEW HIGH EXPLOSIVE.

A new high explosive, trotal, possessing in a high degree the desirable qualities of a shell-burster, has been developed and demonstrated. It is the invention of Lieut. Harold C. Woodward, of the 22nd Engineers, National Guard, New York. The explosive, which can be detonated only by fulminate of mercury, has been fired in a 12-inch shell against armor plate without exploding. It is claimed that 6 ounces of trotal will do the work of 12 ounces of dynamite.

TRYING TO BURN A STEEL CAR.

In testing the steel car with a view to proving its indestructibility by fire, the Pennsylvania Company placed in one of this type 200 pounds of shavings and wood saturated with oil, set fire to it and allowed the mass to burn itself out. The paint and upholstery were destroyed, but no damage was done to the car as a structural whole. At present, 2,872 steel passenger cars are in service on the Pennsylvania system, and this is about one half of the total of steel passenger cars in service in the United States.

LOCOMOTIVE SIZE LIMITED BY THE FIREMAN.

It is stated by the Baldwin Locomotive Company that to-day the factor determining the size and power of large locomotives is the physical endurance of the fireman, and that an ordinary fireman cannot put in the firebox more than five to six thousand pounds of coal an hour. This is one of the considerations which render compounding and superheating, which together, under favorable conditions, secure as much as 40 per cent economy in the fuel burned for a given output, such valuable factors in the development of the locomotive.

THE CONDENSER TELEPHONE.

The inventors Ort and Rieger are quite successful in their work on the condenser telephone, having taken up the question in Germany with the idea of improving the results obtained by this method, and were able to produce excellent telephone receivers, it is said. They first made use of a condenser made up of sheets of tissue paper treated with shellac and covered with tinfoil so as to form a 0·05 microfarad condenser and when used on the receiving end of a telephone line they found that it vibrated quite like a receiver and delivered articulate speech under better conditions than heretofore. A still better makeup was of thin membranes of rubber stretched drumwise and covered with very thin films of aluminium as fine as 0.00012 inch, the thickness of the rubber being about the same. Even greater success was now obtained, and the inventors state that the condenser vibrates as well as the common telephone receiver and even better, and gives clearer speech than has hitherto been obtained.

"SILITE."

A composition which the German inventor Dr. Egly calls "silite" is said to be an excellent material for making up electric heating resistance pieces and the like. It is a compound of silicon and silicon carbide, and answers to all the requirements, for it is not injured by the heat and at the same time conducts the current, being also compact and substantial, and can be molded in any shape. "Silite" is not attacked by acids nor affected by expansion and contraction under heat. The inventor tried carborundum and silundum without success, then he found the present method, which consists in mixing silicon carbide with silicon and a suitable binding material, heating the mixture and then giving it a final treatment in the electric furnance. In this way he obtains any desired molded shapes in a homogeneous and non-porous substances. At it is a conductor of current, it can be used to make up electric heaters of various shapes. Another use is for rheostats and controllers, and the inventor finds that tubes up to three inches inside diameter will come to a high heat when under current, so that they serve for wire-treating furnaces or for tempering steel springs, such tubes being very durable.

DR. BELL AND TRANSATLANTIC FLIGHT.

Dr. Alexander Graham Bell, the American, recently announced that F. C. Baldwin, one of his assistants, seriously thinks of crossing the Atlantic in an aeroplane, in an effort to win the British dol. 50,000 prize. According to the newspapers, Dr. Bell proposes that the flight be made at an altitude of five miles, where one third the density of normal atmosphere would permit a great speed. However the altitude record held by Legagneux, is only 17,878 feet, which means that Baldwin will have to go about 8,500 feet higher. There is trouble enough with motors, not to mention the human breathing apparatus at a height of three miles.

DYNAMIC METRE.

The Dynamic Metre is, according to international agreement, the unit herefter to be employed in aerological tables and discussions in expressing altitude. The need of replacing geometrical by dynamic altitudes in dynamic meteorology depends upon the fact that the force of gravity is not the same in different latitudes. In studying atmospheric movements it is desirable that the system of coordinates adopted should include planes at every point of which the force of gravity is equal, so that the work required to transport a mass of air from one plane to another against gravity is always the same. The dynamic metre is defined as a vertical distance corresponding to 100,000 C. G. S. units of gravity potential and is equivalent, on an average, to 1.02 ordinary metres. The name of this unit, which is one of several new terms proposed by Prof. Bjerknes, has aroused much criticism.

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